

EXTRACTS FROM THE  
*RUTLAND WEEKLY HERALD*  
**1806-1810**  
and  
*VERMONT COURIER*  
**1808-1810**

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## **DEDICATION**

Dedicated to the memory of long-time publisher of the  
*Rutland Herald*, Robert W. Mitchell (1910-1993),  
whose assistance in obtaining the early issues  
of the *Herald* was invaluable.

## Introduction

The third five-year compilation of news items from the *Rutland Herald* spans 1806-1810. The embargo and events leading up to the War of 1812 dominate the news during this period. It is interesting to notice the number of arrests that were made because of counterfeiting in this time period. The *Vermont Courier*, published at Rutland from 25 July 1808 to 30 May 1810 is also included in this publication. Hopefully it will fill in some of the gaps for 1809 as many issues of the *Rutland Herald* are missing for that year.

The first issue of the *Rutland Herald* or *Vermont Mercury* was published at Rutland, Vermont on 8 December 1794. The four-page weekly newspaper was devoted mostly to international, national and state events, especially on the political scene. It also carried notices and advertisements for the county, some local news, death notices and marriages. Due to the lengthy reports of hostilities in the South during the Civil War, publication went daily in April 1861.

Because the project of copying details from these newspapers is so massive and time-consuming, it was decided to release this information in five year increments. Every effort has been made to locate the missing issues.

The reader should be informed that when reading the obituaries and marriages that "this town" is Rutland; inst. refers to the present month and ult. to the month prior. Consort is the spouse; relict is the widow. These notices not only included Rutland, but various other towns in Vermont and other states. Unfortunately the state is not always listed after each town where the event occurred. The original spelling has been kept throughout. It must be noted that these notices were handwritten and were deciphered by the newspaper staff. Thus misspellings do occur. It is often difficult to read the microfilm due to the age of the newspapers.

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RUTLAND WEEKLY HERALD EXTRACTS  
1806-1810

Sat., 4 Jan. 1806:

Salem, Jabez Baldwin offers \$1,000 reward. Someone broke into his shop 25 Oct. last, took \$3,000 worth of gold jewelry and watches.

Murder, Haverhill, NH, 17 inst., Josiah Burnham, while confined in jail in that town, murdered inmates Russel Freeman of Hanover and Joseph Starkweather, then attempted to kill himself.

Middlebury, 19 last, Rev. Thomas A. Merrill ordained.

Rutland, Ralph Paige advertised his clothier's works for sale.

Jason Ladd of Pittsford confined in jail, wants to take oath for poor prisoners so he can be released.

Jacob Wilson of Sudbury confined in jail, wants to take oath for poor prisoners so he can be released.

Aaron Potter of Benson confined in jail, wants to take oath for poor prisoners so he can be released.

Daniel Brown of Benson confined in jail, wants to take oath for poor prisoners so he can be released.

Sat., 11 Jan. 1806:

More on murders at Haverhill, NH.

Another murder, from Amherst, NH paper. 12 ult., Peter Severance of Colchester fired at and killed Mr. Wicher of Boscawen and badly wounded another. Severance confined Exeter jail.

Suicide, Fri. morn last, says a paper of Cooperstown, NY dated 12 ult., Jacob Cuyler of Otsego stepped out of bed into blood of his wife who had slit her throat. She c. 27 years.

Married this village Sun. eve last by Hon. Judge Graham, Orel Cook, Miss Loraine Dewey.

Died Johnstown, NY sometime in Nov. last, Lombard Hart, late of this town.

Castleton, James Merrill & Son, tailors, at Capt. Abraham Baker's Store, 20 rods west of the Meeting House.

Sermon delivered 25 June 1805 at Granville, NY by Rev. Lemuel Haynes of Rutland is published.

Last Legislature granted incorporation of Poultney Turnpike Co., to meet at John Stanley's to organize.

Sat., 18 Jan. 1806: [missing]

Sat., 25 Jan. 1806: [missing]

Sat., 1 Feb. 1806:

Vermont Academy at Rutland elected officers: Hon. Israel Smith, President, Jona. Wells, Vice President, David Tuttle, Treasurer, Benja. Lord, Secretary.

Probate, Leonard B. Spencer, Ira, will meet at house of Capt. Abraham Baker in Castleton.

Rutland County Grammar School incorporated by Legislature, house is in Castleton, was lately erected on the spot where the schoolhouse stood for this county which was late consumed by fire.

Mad dogs at Hartland have bitten 13 people of three families. Also bit several cattle that have died.

Agabus Bishop of Wallingford confined in jail for debt, wants to take oath.

Died Malta, NY, 5 ult., Joseph S. Stewart, 34, formerly of Brandon. He had been absent from his family for some time, was returning to move them to an interior part of state, attacked by nervous fever and died six days later. Survived by wife and four small children and aged parents.

Married St. Albans, Sun. eve last, by Rev. Nye, Henry Gould, a citizen of this village, Mrs. Betsey Keyes of former place.

Married Timmouth, Thurs., 23 ult., by Rev. William Boise, Samuel Barker Willford, Miss Eunice Royce, both of that town. Poem.

Married Clarendon, eve 29 Dec., by Elder Harrington, Benjamin Parker, Jr., Miss Patty Wyman, both of Clarendon.

Married West Rutland, Salmon Smith of West Rutland, Miss Saloma Chapman of Clarendon.

Married West Rutland, 26 ult., Solomon Smith of New Haven, Miss Laura Mead of the former place.

Married West Rutland, on 30<sup>th</sup>, Exi Chatterton, Miss Rebecca Reynolds, both of West Rutland.

The three latter couples married by Rev. Haynes.

This parish, 19 ult., by Rev. Ball, Samuel Cheney, Miss Chloe Manly.

Probate, Benjamin Randall, Wallingford, Jacob Potter, administrator.  
Abraham Sharp, Fair Haven, in jail for debt, wants to take oath.  
Samuel Cool, Fair Haven, in jail for debt, wants to take oath.  
Zebulon Ames, Ira, in jail for debt, wants to take oath.  
Samuel Jackson, Rutland, in jail for debt, wants to take oath.  
Records of Supreme and County Court of Rutland County are removed to Robert Temple's, Clerk in Castleton.  
Rutland, Pearson Freeman pays 16¢ per bushel for house ashes.

Sat., 8 Feb. 1806:

Suicide at Tunbridge, found body on Sat., 18 ult., Pierce Phillips hanged himself from tree about four days ago, frozen and snow covered. He had been in Tunbridge two to three weeks, said to have come from Freetown, MA; ae 40-50 yrs. Engaged in lawsuit, asked son to lie for him, son died soon after.  
Dorset, barn of Phillip Allen burned week before last, caught fire from a candle without a lanthorn which was carried into barn.  
Clarendon, 1 inst., James Paige's clothier shop consumed by fire. Most of utensils and cloth saved.  
Died Clarendon, 19 ult., Deac. John Cooper in 88<sup>th</sup> yr. after lingering illness.  
Died this village, Wed. last, infant child of William Fay, editor of this paper.  
Legislature granted a Turnpike beginning at north line of Nathan Lapham's land in Danby, south 11 miles into east part of Dorset and Manchester, called Mt. Tabor Turnpike Co. First meeting at Jonathan Thompson's in Wallingford.  
Nathaniel Welch of Benson in jail for debt, wants to take oath.  
Probate, Roswell Andrews, Wallingford.  
Meeting of Housewrights and Cabinetmakers of Rutland County at Samuel Gordon's in Rutland, Ephraim W. Bisbee, Secretary.  
Meeting of Dorset Turnpike Co. at house of Henry Herrick, Innholder at Danby—Orange Train.

Sat., 15 Feb. 1806: [missing]

Sat., 22 Feb. 1806: [missing]

Sat., 1 Mar. 1806: [missing]

Sat., 8 Mar. 1806: [missing]

Sat., 15 Mar. 1806: [missing]

Sat., 22 Mar. 1806:

Rutland, Peter Sutherland wants to sell or let a Blacksmith shop with three fires and a trip-hammer; also a forge with two fires and one or two houses all near Sutherland's Falls in Rutland [now Proctor].  
Shrewsbury, Thomas Gould, indentured boy, ae 17, ran away from John Williams.  
Clarendon, schoolhouse in west part of Clarendon was burnt with a large number of books, etc., on 16 inst. Two-thirds belonged to Lewis Walker, Esq. Taken fire from a box of ashes carelessly left in schoolhouse.  
Abel Darling of Rutland in jail for debt, wants to take oath.  
Benjamin Coy, Middletown in jail for debt, wants to take oath.  
John Bissell, Jr., Rutland in jail for debt, wants to take oath.  
Abraham Atwater, Wallingford in jail for debt, wants to take oath.

Sat., 29 Mar. 1806:

Northampton paper, Tues. morn, body of John Ellis of this town was found hanging in a back kitchen; murdered by James Busby, an Irishman, and Susanna Ellis, wife of deceased.  
Brandon, Calvin Conant, Esq.'s shop broken into and money taken.  
Probate, Amos Ives, Mt. Holly, Jabez Spencer, administrator.  
Stephen Burpie of Rutland in gaol for debt, needs oath.

John Kendall of Mt. Holly in gaol for debt, needs oath.

Rutland, David Tuttle, advertisement for sale, a beautiful stand for a mechanic, one acre, house and barn, lately owned and occupied by Daniel Parsons, a few rods southwest of Courthouse.

Sat., 5 Apr. 1806:

Died Ira, 26 ult., Horace Kingsley, ae 19, son of Salmon Kingsley.

Rutland, Mrs. Johnson will again open her school in Female Education.

Wallingford, William and Mary Fuller want to sell farm in north part of Wallingford on Stage Road.

Divorce petition, Hulda Jones of Poultney vs. Solomon Jones; married 30 June 1799, he then of Poultney, deserted her May 1803, adultery with diverse lewd women of this and other of United States.

Probate, John Shaw, Esq., Mt. Holly, Widow Sarah.

Rutland office of *Rutland Herald* moved to North Chamber of subscriber nearly opposite Butler's Store, Wm. Fay.

Rutland, Cephas Smith, Jr. and Charles K. Williams dissolve partnership.

Rutland, Nathan B. Graham, attorney, south front room of Courthouse.

Rutland, Elizabeth Moulthrop has hogs stolen.

Sat., 12 Apr. 1806: [missing]

Sat., 19 Apr. 1806: [missing]

Sat., 26 Apr. 1806: [missing]

Sat., 3 May 1806:

Rutland, a flowery, benevolent ad by Garret Lawrence says his wife has been induced by others to leave.

Died this town, Tues. last, a child of Benjamin Stearns.

Died this town, Wed. last, Benjamin Whipple, Esq., in 79<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Norwich, John Hatch, Esq. and Sarah, his wife, ae 79.

Died Weybridge, 19 inst., Mrs. Abigail Dickinson, ae 42[?], wife of Stoughton Dickinson, Esq.

Died NY, 10 ult., Gen. Horatio Gates, 78, conqueror of Burgoyne.

Died PA, 17[?] ult., Hon. Edward Shippen, ae 77, Chief Judge of Supreme Court of PA.

Died Philadelphia, 31<sup>st</sup> March, Elihu Palmer, celebrated Dei?? Preacher.

Nehemiah Ripley of Pawlet, in gaol for debt, wants oath.

Probate, David Hogg, Hubbardton, Widow Elizabeth. [These Hogg's were from Dunbarton, NH; the younger generation changed their names to Hall.]

Probate, Eleazer Ross, Wallingford, James Eddy and Elizabeth Ross, administrators.

Probate, Solomon Loomis, Mt. Holly.

Caleb Mallory, counterfeitor, escaped from Rutland jail, ca 55 yrs.; supposed he was heading for Canada where his family resides. Henry Gould, gaoler, offers reward.

Stephen Hale, Rutland in jail for debt, wants to take oath.

Divorce petition, Anna Hicks of Rutland vs. James Hicks; married 15 Aug. 1802, he then of Sunderland. April 1803 he deserted her.

Nathan Mixer of Castleton in jail for debt, wants to take oath.

William Ambler of Tinmouth in jail for debt, wants to take oath.

Joseph Harvey of Tinmouth in jail for debt, wants to take oath.

Sat., 10 May 1806:

Suicide, Middletown, this county; last week Lemuel Stoddard of Middletown, liked neighbor girl, day set to marry, thought she didn't love him and her chastity not inviolate, convinced her to take laudenum with him. She did, threw it up and lived; he died next day, c. 20.

Married Colchester, 27 ult., Lt. Justas Warner of Burlington, Miss Polly Spearre of former place.

Died Brookfield, VT, suddenly, Lois Wood, wife of Eben., ae 59.

Died Randolph, Col. Israel Converse.

Died Barnard, Rev. Joseph Bowman, 72.

Rutland County Grammar School at Castleton opens in building therefore erected and now completed—  
A. W. Hyde, Secretary.

Probate, Calvin Munger, Fairhaven, at Widow Rebeckah S. Munger.

Rutland, Moses Lester has stud horse, Koulikan.

*Rutland Herald* moved to North Chamber of dwelling of subscriber, William Fay.

Rutland, William Fay and Samuel Williams dissolved printing business 1 Jan. 1805.

Rutland, William Barr found stray mare.

Rutland, David Page, Jr. lost a note signed by Henry Gould.

Rutland, Elizabeth Moulthrop ad for three stray hogs.

New York, April 26, when sloop Richard was coming into the Hook yesterday, she was fired on by British ship-of-war, Leander. Capt. Pierce's brother, John, on the Richard was killed instantly.

*Troy Gazette*, young man Zur Johnson of Pittsford in this county in jail in Troy for counterfeiting.

Rutland, Ebenezer Wetherbee of Wallingford in jail for debt owed to Jonathan H. Hubbard; will take debtor's oath.

Rutland, Nehemiah H. Ripley of Pawlet in jail for debt owed to Benajah Cook of Shoreham, will take oath.

Sat., 17 May 1806:

Testimony about murder of John Pierce on board the Richard.

Rutland, John Prentiss ad for new goods in stock.

Rutland, Wells & Washburn ad for new goods in stock.

Oliver Robbins' ad for two seed horses, will be available for mares at Josiah G. Harris' Stable at Castleton and Capt. Timothy Strong's in Pawlet.

Probate, David Perry, Hubbardton, Widow Jerusha.

Rutland, John Hollenbeck of Rutland in jail for debt owed to Southwell Munn, Matthew Linsey, John Ruggles, John Smith.

Sermon delivered at West Rutland, 1805 by Lemuel Haynes, A.M., gives account of his life and character.

Died Mt. Tabor, 18 April, Walter[?Wester] Tabor, 15.

Sat., 24 May 1806:

Married Colchester, 27 ult., Lt. Justus Warner of Burlington, Miss Polly Spearre.

Married Castleton, 4 inst., by Gen. Eli Cogswell, Esq., Preserved Palmer, Miss Sally Headdy, both of Castleton.

Died Philadelphia, 8 inst., Robert Morris, Esq., distinguished services during Revolution.

Ad—my wife, Sally, refuses to live with me, Preserved Palmer, Castleton. [That was quick!]

List of number of privates in militia for each state; VT has 324 in artillery, 1,002 in cavalry and foot (infantry) 13,708; has 1,020 sabres, 1,048 pairs of pistols, 8,824 muskets.

Sat., 31 May 1806:

Married Plymouth, James Garvin, Miss Lydia Clark.

Clarendon, dwelling of Joseph Button of Danby, Fri., 23 inst., consumed by fire. House occupied by Mr. Phillips whose family was absent, caused probably by spark alighting on roof.

Fairhaven, Eli Everts ad, farm for sale, 144 acres, two dwellings, two miles north of Meeting House on Turnpike. Inquire of subscriber living on premises or Cornelius Bronson, Esq. of Granville.

Sat., 7 June 1806:

Married this town, Sun. last, by Rev. Ball, Amos Lanphier of Lanesborough, MA, Miss Abigail Kingsley of this town.

Married Bridport, Daniel Gray, AB, Miss Susan Rice.

Married Richmond, Martin Barder[?Barber], Miss Sally Farnsworth, both of Richmond.

Married Walpole, John C. Dana of Woodstock, Miss Mary Carlisle of former place.

Died Vergennes, 13 ult., Mrs. Speedy Fitch, wife of Col. Jabez G. Fitch; sermon by Rev. Daniel C. Sanders, President of University at Burlington.

Died Swanton, 20 ult., consumption, Mrs. Arethusa Hubbard, wife of Clark Hubbard, 28.

Died Bennington, 23 ult., Thomas Jefferson Haswell, son of Anthony Haswell, 1 yr.

Died Bennington, 26, of dropsy, Caleb Austin, 74, etc.  
Died Bennington, 30, consumption, Miss Sylvia Dolph.  
Died Woodstock, Stephen Smith, c. 70.  
Died Walpole, NH, 18 ult., of consumption, Mrs. Phebe Ormsby, in 43<sup>rd</sup> yr., wife of Stephen.  
Died Goshen, MA, Capt. Samuel Gunnison, 85.  
Died Philadelphia, Henry Hosier[?], 56, man of color, celebrated Methodist preacher although he had not learned his letters.  
Died Brunswick, Germany, William V, Prince of Orange and son of the late stadholder of Holland.  
Died London, Dr. Isaac ---sely[?Mosely], formerly of CT.  
Died Nassau, Bahama, Mrs. Susan Powell, 104.  
Died Paris, M. Trouchet, late Counsel of Louis XVI, member of Bonaparte's Conservation Senate.  
Died in cells of Moro-Castle, Havannah, early April last, celebrated partisan Major Bowles, long article.  
Suicide, Wed., 13 Apr., Mrs. Patty Pierson, wife of Oliver of Cazenovia, NY and dau. of Zachariah Fairchild of Great Barrington, shot herself in the breast, in her 25<sup>th</sup> yr.  
Died Peacham, Mrs. Mary Ruswel, 71.  
Died Newark, John Billings, 75.  
Died Hudson, NY, Daniel Pinkham, 72.  
Died Worcester, MA, 17 ult., within few moments of each other, Lemuel Rice, 66, after long illness, and brother, Luke Rice, 61, suddenly.  
Died Northbridge, MA, Major David Batchelor, 64.  
Died Keene, Daniel Snow, 79.  
Died Bernardstown, MA, 24 ult., Ruel Willard, 54, left home in a.m. in good health to attend to his business, found dead half mile from his house, probably fell from his horse.  
Died Providence County Gaol where he had chosen to remain 15 yrs. rather than pay debts, Abner Lapham, Esq., late of Cumberland, of an advanced age.  
Died Litchfield, CT of lingering disorder, Mrs. Abigail Skinner, wife of Gen. Timothy Skinner, 60 yrs.  
Died Stratford, NH, Miss Sophia Stebbins, aged 18 yrs., dau. of Rev. Stephen W. Stebbins.  
Died Colchester, CT, 7 ult., Mr. Pratt, 20 yrs, son of Daniel, Jr.; on 9<sup>th</sup>, Daniel Pratt, Jr., 50 yrs.; on 10<sup>th</sup>, Daniel Pratt, Sen., 70 yrs., they being son, father, grandfather.  
Died Walpole, MA, Mrs. Sarah Palmer, aged 72, relict of late Rev. Joseph Palmer of Norton.  
Died Cranbury, NJ, John Story in 91<sup>st</sup> yr.  
Died Plainfield, NH, Lt. Daniel Freeman, 73.  
Died Charlestown, NH, John Hubbard, Esq., 50.  
Accident at Ashby, MA, Sun., 11<sup>th</sup> ult., Isaac Preston went to mill, of which he had care, to grind meal for his family. Found dead in the stream a little below dam; probably fell from near the dam and hit his head.  
Rutland, First Medical Society of Vermont will meet at house of Samuel Gordon, John Cleveland, Secretary.  
Rutland, David Witherell of Shrewsbury in jail for debt.  
Aaron Sanford, Jr. and Samuel Petit, both of Pawlet, both in jail for debt.

Sat., 14 June 1806:

Suicide, Milford, CT, 8 inst., found male body hanging from tree, c. 45 yrs. Papers on him say he's John Adam Hart-line, late of Canada.  
Northampton, MA, 5 inst., Dominic Daley and James Hallagan hanged for murder of Marcus Lyon before 15,000 people.  
Peacham, last week Col. Micah Barton, Sheriff of Orange County, brought back Counterfeiter Stephen Burroughs from Canada.  
Rutland, William Gookin carding sheep's wool at Gookin and Standring.  
Died Weathersfield, CT, 7 ult., Deac. Jesse Churchill, 80.  
Brandon, Masonic Festival, Calvin Conant, Secretary.  
Dr. Jonathan Moore's Essence of Life ad—list of doctors that prescribe it: Abel Duncan, Sam'l Stearns, LLD, William Town, C.W. Chandler, Abraham Halland, Jonathan Badger, Nathan Stone, Prescot Hall, Charles Blake—Dummerston, VT. Certificate of Hon. Stephen R. Bradley, LLD, of Westminster, attests to

its benefits. Can be purchased at Dr. M. Lyman, Bennington, Dr. Thomas Hooker, Rutland, Zebulon Lyon, Royalton.

Sat., 21 June 1806:

Keene, 7 June, killed instantly by lightning in his house Sun. last P.M., Joel Kendal of Dublin, 39, his eldest son nearly 16 and Mr. Kendal's older brother of Mason. Joel Kendal is survived by a wife and six small children. Mr. Kendal of Mason leaves a widow and ten children.

Trial, Hanover, 6 June. Court held at Plymouth for this county; Josiah Burnham found guilty for murder of Starkweather and Freeman. To be executed 15 July.

Married Boston, Theodore Strong, Esq., son of Gov. Strong, Miss Patty Allen.

Married Woodstock, Daniel Lake, Miss Susanna Edson.

Married Hartford, CT, Lemuel Lincoln, printer, Miss Mary M'Intire.

Married White Plains, NY, Isaac Valentine, 80, Miss Mary Fredenburgh, 18.

Died Middlebury, 9 inst., consumption, Mrs. Victoria Painter, 46, wife of Hon. Gamaliel; long obit. and poem.

Died Poultney, 19 inst., Elisha Hyde, 28<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Londonderry, Capt. Adam Taylor, 69.

Died Londonderry, Deac. Samuel Fisher, 48.

Died Hartford, CT, John Porter, Esq., 48.

Died Acton, MA, Timothy Brooks, son of Seth, 24, last of nine brothers and sisters who have died of pulmonary consumption.

Died Philadelphia, Robert Morris, Revolutionary patriot.

Died at sea, Capt. Andrew Woodbury of Amherst, NH, 37.

Died Salisbury, NH, Thomas Perrin, 37.

Walpole, at Avery's Gore on 27<sup>th</sup> ult., a.m., a black man and woman were away from home when house burned killing their three children, aged 6 yrs., 4<sup>th</sup> yr., and 10 months.

Rutland, Dr. Samuel Williams' observations on the late eclipse of the sun, Mon. last.

Alstead, NH, 15 inst., W. Cole and P. Brown's paper mill consumed by fire.

Sat., 28 June 1806:

Further observations on solar eclipse of 16 June by S. Williams. Nathaniel Chipman of Tinmouth said eclipse not total in that town. A. Jackson of Mt. Holly and Capt. Potter of Pawlet made observations.

Probate, Jacob Shippe, Danby, at house of Hosea Williams.

Probate, John Bates, Ira, at house of Preserved Fish.

Probate, Gilbert Palmer, Danby.

Mt. Tabor Turnpike, Nathan Lapham, Treasurer, Danby.

Middletown, Nathaniel Taft has a new gristmill, an oil mill and dwelling for sale known as Sheldon's Mills. Inquire of subscriber or Jonas Clark, Jr. near premises. Also farm near mills for sale by Asa Gardner.

Married this town Sun. eve last, by Rev. H. Ball, Amos Jones of Pittsfield, Mrs. Betsey Hawks of this town.

Rutland, Reuben Stevens of Shrewsbury in jail for debt.

Rutland, Luther Leet of Arlington in jail for debt.

Sat., 5 July 1806:

Court, John Arden and Elizabeth Close vs. John Hunt, late of Pawlet.

Probate, Charles Wilder, Barre, MA [?VT] at house of Charles Wilder in Shrewsbury.

Rutland, Garry Bacon of Rutland in jail for debt.

Ordained at Gill, NH, Rev. Josiah W. Cannon, Wed., 11 inst.

Married Castleton, 3 inst., by Rev. Elihu Smith, John Goodwin, merchant, Miss Chloe Eaton, both of that town.

Married Cornish, NH, William Butman[?] of Barnard, Miss Olive Hildreth of former place.

Married Hartland, Cary Allen of Woodstock, Miss Sally Rice of former place.

Married Woodstock, Mr. Ripley [no first name], Miss Susanna Cottle[?], both of that town.

Died Boston, John Avery, Esq., Secretary of Commonwealth of MA, c. 65.  
Died Cornish, Dr. Joseph Wellman.  
Died Fairfield, CT, John Bradshaw, c. 105.  
Died Hopkinton, Mrs. Betsey Jones, 49, wife of Capt. Moses.  
Died Middlebury, 11 inst., John B. Brown[?], 17[?].  
Died Orange, Joseph Williams, 76.  
Died Windsor, Widow Currier, at advanced age.  
Died Hinsdale, Riley, son of Dr. David Walley (?), 3[13?] yrs.  
Died Mansfield, CT, Mrs. Clarissa Welch, 48, wife of Rev. Moses C. Welch.  
Died Guildhall, Mrs. Elizabeth Hall, 53, wife of Deac. S.R.  
Died Hudson, NY, Joseph Young, 45.  
Died Richmond, VA, George Wythe, Judge of Court of Chancery for Richmond District.  
Died Germany, M. Michid Viter de B. B???, the celebrated Hungarian Poet.  
Died London, Hon. Mrs. Erskine, wife of Hon. Thomas Erskine, M.P.  
Died Thurlow, England, Mr. Crick, 135, schoolmaster for over 53 yrs.  
Accident, *Bennington Gazette*, Tuesday last, John Potter, Esq., of R-click[?], riding down hill near his house on loaded wagon. Neck yoke gave way, horse took flight. Driver, Major Amos Potter tried to rein in, John jumped and fell, wheel passed over his skull killing him.  
Connecticut River, man 40-50 yrs of age found dead in river near Cooper's Point. Springfield, last Sun. A.M., William Hitchcock with others went into Connecticut River to bathe. Cyrus Chapin tried to locate his body, found it but he had already drowned.

Sat., 12 July 1806:  
Hadley [prob. MA], men went from field to stream to watch the eclipse on 16 June, saw a human body at bottom. It was Samuel Warner of Amherst, c. 40, probably crossing stream on a log, fell in and drowned Sat. eve preceding.  
Rutland, Nichols Goddard has received shipment of watches from NY. He has eight day clocks with or without cases.  
Rutland, William Baxter will petition General Assembly for suspension of payment of his debts. His attorney is Jno. Cook.  
Rutland, Ellis Gage of Sudbury in jail for debt.  
July 4<sup>th</sup> at Rutland under direction of Maj. G.[Gershom] Cheney and Capt. N.[Nichols] Goddard, music by Miner's Band. Rev. Samuel Williams, LLD gave address as did William D. Smith and Charles K. Williams. Rev. Heman Ball gave closing. Dinner prepared by Mr. Gould. Hon. Israel Smith, President of the day. Cannon discharged by Capt. James Smith's Company of Artillery. Ladies ate at Mr. Niles' Hall, the men dined on the Green. Toasts listed. A Ball at night.  
4 July, Castleton, procession began at Boland's Inn, proceeded to Academy where Rev. Elihu Smith gave prayer. John Dennison and Henry V. Shaw spoke.  
Bennington, 3 inst., Rev. Daniel Marsh installed at church.  
Died Poultney, Mon. last, William Buckland, survived by young family.  
Died Tinmouth, Capt. Thomas Ellis of Woodstock, 48.  
Died Woodstock, Mrs. Mary, wife of William S. M'Leod, 34[?31].  
Died Cheshire, MA, numb palsy, Jemima Bowen, very aged.  
Recipe for Dysentery given by Caleb Abernethy.  
List of Letters at Rutland Post Office: Elihu Andrus, **Rutland Co.**; Mercy Allen, Betsey Andrus, **Pittsford**; Nathan Burpee, Jessius[Jeffius?] Booge, Solomon Beebe, **Chittenden**; William W. Barlow, Aurora Beebe, Mindwell Barnes, **Pittsford**; Tilley Ballard, **Tinmouth**; Horatio Beall, **Clarendon**; Zebulon Burr, **Plymouth**; John Bullard, **Shrewsbury**; Rufus Branch, **Castleton**; Heman Barlow, **Rutland**; Jabez Colven, Luther McClellin, James Crocker, Jabez Carpenter, **Clarendon**; Isaac Clark, Bildad Clark, Lyman Clark, Joel Colver, **Castleton**; John Crossman, **Pittsford**; Abel Crandel, Horace Callender, **Rutland**; Daniel Denison, Justus Dart, **Castleton**; Jeremiah Foster, **Poultney**; Mr. Fay, William Fay, **Rutland**; Sally Gleason, John Griffiths, Jr., **Castleton**; John Giddings, **Shrewsbury**; Hannah Gibson, Daniel Greeno, Jr., **Rutland**; John Hitchcock, Nehemiah Hopkins, **Pittsford**; Christopher Howard, **Clarendon**; John Hill, **Wallingford**; Timothy Hunt, **Hubbardton**; Joseph Hildreth, **Shrewsbury**; Susanna Johns, Solomon

Johnson, Rutland; Jacob Johnson, **Tinmouth**; Archelaus Jones, **Shrewsbury**; Thomas Knight, Eph  
Knight, **Shrewsbury**; Joseph Leavitt or Amos Hermon, **Rupert**; Sally Leet, **Tinmouth**; Sally Lacy, Amos  
Lawrence, **Rutland**; Epaphras Loomis, **Clarendon**; Nathaniel Moulthrop, Stephen Mead, **Rutland**;  
Samuel M'Cluer, **Ira**; Sardis Manley, **Pittsford**; Norton Noble, **Castleton**; Saml. Ormsby, **Clarendon**;  
Isaac Osborn, **Pittsford**; Daniel Pearce, Daniel P. Potter, Milton Potter, Ashbel Parmele, **Pittsford**;  
Anthony Paddock, **Wallingford**; Nathaniel Parker, Samuel Priest, **Shrewsbury**; Daniel Pond, **Whiting**;  
Asa Perry, Josiah Pomeroy, **Rutland**; Jedediah Rogers, **Ira**; Simeon Russel, **Rutland**; Leonard Rawson,  
**Pittsford**; John Randall, **Clarendon**; Noah Sparhawk, Nehemiah Smith, **Shrewsbury**; Polly Spencer,  
Medad Sheldon, Jerusha Smith, **Rutland**; Secretary of Grand Lodge of VT, Aaron Thrall, **Rutland**; John  
Torrence, **Clarendon**; George Todd, **Mt. Holly**; Reuben Wicker, Tilley Walker, Rufus Woodward,  
**Pittsford**; Seth Wallis, **Hubbardton**; Samuel Wells, **Plymouth**; William Williams, **Fredericksburgh**.  
Thomas Hooker, P.M.

Sat., 19 July 1806:

Fire in New-Castle, Maine, House of Mr. Doe burned night of 29 ult. His two children died.  
Walpole, Ephraim Stearns drowned in Connecticut River on 4 July at 4 o'clock during celebration of 4  
July, while bathing in river in 19<sup>th</sup> yr.  
Castleton, Ira Northrup, clothier's business.  
Probate, Adam Johnson, Danby.

Sat., 26 July 1806:

Augusta, Maine, dated 11 July, Capt. James Purinton murdered his wife, six children and himself Wed.  
His eldest son, slightly wounded (second dau. badly wounded), escaped to Dean Wyman's who, with Mr.  
Ballard . . . Very long article. During funeral his remains were on the porch, the others in the Meeting  
House. They were buried in the cemetery; he in the highway adjoining cemetery with his axe and razor.  
Fishkill, Dutchess Co., Tues. eve last, Jesse Wood killed his son.  
Brandon, Jacob Wead, Jr. asks people to pay up.  
Rutland, Nathaniel T. Moseley will ask Legislature to suspend all civil process against him for five yrs.  
Rutland, B. Gilman, physiognotrace, delineates profiles [silhouettes]. For 25¢ can have two profiles of the  
same person. Has taken a room at Gould's Tavern for five days only.  
Court, Daniel Dyer of Clarendon vs. William Dexter of Scituate, RI

Sat., 2 Aug. 1806:

Peacham, Stephen Burroughs admitted to bail by British government. Since his liberation has purchased  
an elegant situation in Montreal.  
Harrison's Mills, Kentucky, 30 inst., Gen. Andrew Jackson and Charles Dickinson fought a duel.  
Dickinson died.  
Married this town, Sun. eve last, by Rev. Ball, Abner Moon, Miss Hannah Smith, both of this place.  
Died this town, Thurs. eve, 24 ult., Capt. John Smith in 78<sup>th</sup> yr. One of first settlers in West Rutland.  
Survived by five children, 41 grandchildren, six great grandchildren; poem.  
Died Clarendon, 18 ult., David Whitney, c. 40, survived by widow and several children.  
Died Clarendon, 24 ult., Mrs. Hannah Cooper, widow of late Deac. [John] Cooper in 93<sup>rd</sup> yr. Rose early in  
A.M. in good health, half hour was a corpse.  
Died Dover, DE, 5 ult., Rev. Richard Whatcoat, one of Bishops of Methodist Episcopal Church.  
Died Bridport, 10 inst., in fit of apoplexy, a Dutchman traveller, name unknown, found on the 7<sup>th</sup>. Said he  
lived above Little York in Upper Canada, came from St. John's in a sloop belonging to Capt. King to  
Vergennes. Was on his way to Skenesborough. Aged 35 or 40. Wm. Myrick, Esq., Bridport.  
Rutland, Elijah Perrigo of Clarendon, in jail for debt.  
Rutland, colt strayed from Nathan Pratt, Jr.  
Probate, Water[sic] Tabor, Mt. Tabor at house of Gideon Tabor.

Sat., 9 Aug. 1806:

Shoreham, Peter Sutherland of Rutland ad to sell carding machines on Charles Rich's Dam in Shoreham.

Rutland, Walter Himes says son, Walter, is disobedient, has left his master where he was apprentice shoemaker, c. 15 yrs. Offers \$1 reward for return.  
Orwell, Lydia has left her husband, Isaac Beldin.  
Rutland, Abijah Lothrop petitions Legislature to suspend all civil process against him for six years, Burlington College, Commencement.  
Married Windsor, Sewall Cutting, Miss Mary Hunter, dau. of Hon. William Hunter, Esq.  
Died Reading, Chloe Weld, wife of John, Esq., 72.  
Died Attleborough, MA, found dead 14 ult. near Turnpike north of Hatch's Tavern, John Welch, printer.  
Died Syracuse, Feb. last, Lt. Joseph Maxwell of USN.  
Died Syracuse, April last, Lt. Seth Carter, commander of gunboat No. 10, native of RI.  
Died on board U.S. Cutter Hornet, April last, Mr. Brent, midshipman.  
Died on board U.S. bomb-ketch Vengeance suddenly 6 June last, Simeon Smith, midshipman, on way to RJ of which he was a native, after being American prisoner in Tripoli.  
Died Wallingford, 31 July, Electy Hull, oldest dau. of Zephaniah Hull, 8<sup>th</sup> yr., severe illness of 18 days, survived by brothers and sister.  
Court, Abel Parker of Poultney vs. Nathan Worcester, late of Rutland.

Sat., 16 Aug. 1806:

Slate of Republicans running for State Office.  
Haverhill, NH, Josiah Burnham executed for murders of Russell Freeman and Joseph Starkweather Dec. last, on Tues. last. Burnham born and educated in Farmington, CT, moved to Haverhill 1796.  
Rutland, D.P. Morse has 300 Windsor chairs for sale, few rods north of Reynolds Mills, also is a blacksmith.  
Petition of Danl. Folger to Legislature for a Turnpike from his store in Danby to Ephraim Fitch's in Pawlet. Castleton, stray horse broke into enclosure of Abel Moulton.  
Pittsford, Lewis Drewry and Sturgis Penfield have clothier's works half mile south of Penfield's Mills.

Sat., 23 Aug. 1806:

Letters from Col. Jonathan Orms of Westhaven, Gen. Eli Cogswell and Col. N[Noah] Lee [of Castleton] refuting letter concerning conversation with Gov. Tichenor at Regimental Review in Rutland.  
Married this town, Sun. eve last by Rev. Ball, Abel Cheney, Miss Priscilla Washburn, both of this town.  
Married Hampton, CT, Leonard Ormsby of this town, Miss Betsey Ashley of the former place.  
Married Clarendon, Asa Hall, Miss Ruth Wyman.  
Married Clarendon, Dexter Sprague, Betsey Dickerman.  
Married Clarendon, Daniel Carr, Miss Grace Nichols.  
Married Clarendon, Jonas Green, Miss Sally Chaffee, all of Clarendon.  
Married Wallingford, William Fox, 21, Miss Sally Ives, 12, both of that town.  
Petition for Turnpike from Rutland to North end of Dorset Turnpike, etc., Nathaniel Chipman, Tinmouth. Benson, meeting of Fairhaven Turnpike Co. at Chauncy Smith, Esq., John D. Smith, Clerk.

Sat., 30 Aug. 1806:

Hartland, fire consumed house and blacksmith shop of William Perkins, 20 inst.  
Orwell, Truman Baldwin's horse strayed.  
Probate, Samuel Dow, Upper Canada, at Capt. Ebenezer Towner's in Danby.  
Probate, Jedediah Clark, Sheldon.

Sat., 6 Sept. 1806:

St. Albans, Silas Hathaway has been within prison limits nearly two years for debt, will ask Legislature to free him.  
Votes listed for Governor and Representatives.  
Married [no place listed], 3 ult., John H. Burton, Miss Mary Hatheway, both of St. Albans.  
Died this town, 28 ult., Polly Andrus, dau. of Ebenezer Andrus [Andrews] in 6<sup>th</sup> year.  
Died Essex, Mrs. Rachel Johnson, 28, wife of John, Esq.  
Died Burlington, 28 ult., Mrs. Rebecca Baker in 24<sup>th</sup> yr., wife of John K. Baker.

Died Burlington, 28 ult., Mark M. Boge, c. 23, employed as stage driver to north by Mr. Wheelock [Eleazer of Rutland] of this town. Went with stage last week, put up at Burlington Thurs. night, died in bed, parents of Georgia.  
Died Sandgate, VT, 18 ult., distressing sickness, Mrs. Maryann Prindle, wife of Capt. Sherman Prindle of that town and dau. of Major Gilbert Bradley of Sunderland, 26<sup>th</sup> yr.  
Died New Orleans, 14 ult., W.J. Bealert by a wound from a Spaniard after a dispute at a fire, etc.  
Died Poundridge, NY, Daniel Dickinson in a fit of religious frenzy, he killed himself.  
Died New Fairfield, CT, Robert Scudder in 56<sup>th</sup> yr.  
Died Salem, MA, William Patterson, 71 yrs.  
Died Middletown, 2 inst. at 1 p.m., Lamson Miner in 32<sup>nd</sup> yr. Survived by wife, Cloe and two small children. Became ill on 6 Aug. with a cold, got sicker 36 hours before he died. A few hours before his death Parson Bigelow was summoned, baptized children. In five years of marriage neither spouse had given each other a "frown." His brothers pledged to take care of his widow and children. Long, heart-wrenching article.  
Rutland, Ralph Paige, clothing works.

Sat., 13 Sept. 1806:

Disastrous shipwreck of Rose-in-Bloom off Charleston, SC.  
More numbers on State Election.  
Commencement at Dartmouth College, names.  
Died Burlington, Sat., 6 inst., Col. Udney Hay, born Scotland, resided at Quebec at onset of Revolution, served in American army in Quartermaster Dept. Good friend of Gen. Green. Battles of Saratoga and Stillwater, member of Vermont Legislature and Council of Censors, long.  
Died Middletown, Sat. last, Thomas Evers, c. 65.  
Shoreham, Nehemiah Wallace found a cow.  
Middletown, Partnership of John Torrence and Ralph Pomeroy dissolved. Torrence will continue with Isaac M. Chesebrough in dry goods and groceries.  
Rutland, Ebenezer Andrews and Elvin Andrews erect new clothier's works 1½ miles south of Courthouse.

Sat., 20 Sept. 1806:

Burlington College Commencement.  
Married this town, Samuel Stevens, Miss Fanny French.  
Married this town, Luke Patrick, Miss Sally Sawyer, all of this town.  
Died Albany, 9 inst., Hon. William Patterson, judge of Circuit Court of U.S.  
Died Montpelier, Hon. David Wing, Jr., Esq., Secretary of State.  
Died Hinsdale, Richard Whitney, Esq., formerly Secretary to the Governor and Council of this state.  
Died Germany, Gen. Melas, celebrated commander of Austrian forces at battle of Marengo.  
Pittsford, Jirah Barlow, clothier.  
Utica, NY, 10 inst., Timothy Williams drowned while crossing Black River, fell off a log canoe. A few days prior, Mr. Seymour drowned in Oswegatchie River near Ogdensburg. Both were lately from Springfield. Capt. Seymour survived by wife and children.  
Redding, Steuben Co., three lads killed 111 rattlesnakes found in a log.  
Westmoreland, Mrs. Halleck murdered her four children, all females, the youngest 10 months. Mr. Halleck returned in evening, bodies found in a cornfield.  
Castleton Academy, trustees open Rutland County Grammar School in the building erected at Castleton, A.W. Hyde, Secretary.

Sat., 27 Sept. 1806:

Probate, David Starks, Pittsford, Widow Jane.  
Otsego, 4 July, people had no cannon, so procured a 56 lb. weight. Loaded the orifice, number of times. Finally it burst and killed Jacob Hoag, 17.  
Suicide, Plymouth, 16 inst., Sally Slater, c. 17, weaving in a barn an hour before, found hanging in her father's barn.

Died Montpelier, 14[?] Sept., Hon. David Wing, Jr., 40, from a fever, survived by widow and six children. James Dean gave eulogy, it is printed in paper.

Died Reading, Sat., 20 inst., of lingering consumption, Mary Felch, 46, wife of Nathan Felch, poem. Pittsford, Nathaniel Cunningham lost pocketbook.

Clarendon, James Paige, clothier.

Rutland, Isaac Gould of Coxsackie in jail for debt, owes Absalom Green of Mt. Holly.

Sat., 4 Oct. 1806:

Stephen Burroughs in jail at Montreal for theft, forgery, etc.

Circuit Court opens at Rutland under Judge Paine.

Rutland, Nathaniel Paige, clothier at falls on Otter Creek.

Castleton, Prudence Murdock, clothing works.

Sat., 11 Oct. 1806:

Married this village, Sun. eve last, by Rev. Ball, William Hall, Miss Luna Fuller, both of this village.

Married Panton, George Stevens, Miss Eunice Spaulding

Married Panton, Josiah Stagg, Miss Rhoda Grandey.

Married Panton, Edmund Grandey, Miss Caturah Crane.

Married Panton, Jerman Bullis, Jr., Miss Sarah Benedict, all of Panton.

Castleton, indentured boy, Stillman Hall, c. 19, ran away from Samuel L. Miner.

Rutland, Abner Moon ad for leather goods.

Divorce, Joshua Wyith, late of Wysox, Luzerne Co., PA, now Woodstock, VT, vs. Gracy Wyith, intolerable severity.

Brigade Court at Cutler's Tavern in Fairhaven. Lt. Col. Moses Watkins of 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt., 2<sup>nd</sup> Brig., 2<sup>nd</sup> Division, President. Court martial of Capt. John Babcock of 1<sup>st</sup> Regt., 2<sup>nd</sup> Brig., 2<sup>nd</sup> Division and Capt. Elisha Ashley of same regt. Complaints made by Col. Orms that they did not attend Regimental Parade at Castleton 17 June; both verdicts were not guilty. Members of Court (all of same Regt., etc.): Maj. Caleb Hendee, Jr., Maj. Nathaniel Crary, Capt. Gideon Horton, Capt. Durham Sprague, Capt. John Ruggles (Cavalry, 2<sup>nd</sup> Brig., 2<sup>nd</sup> Division), Capt. Timothy Blanchard, Capt. Noah Cooley, Lt. Nathan Parmenter, Lt. Peter Powers, Lt. Benj. Pratt, Ensign Daniel Farrington, Ensign Dexter Sprague, Ensign Nathan Gibbs, Jr., Ensign William Denison. Judge Advocate, Capt. Charles K. Williams, Brigadier General of 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division, Amos Kellogg.

Fire 26 ult., Courthouse and jail at Poughkeepsie burned to ashes.

Wife of Mr. Roberts of Dover, NH had triplet boys, each weighed 7 pounds.

Wife of Maj. Josiah Dwight of Northampton [MA] had triplet girls Wed. last; all totaled 21 pounds.

Sat., 18 Oct. 1806:

Rutland, Joseph B. Fairbrother of Wallingford in jail for debt.

List of letters at Rutland Post Office: **Rutland**, Alvah Beebe, Samuel Blakesbe; **Shrewsbury**, Christopher Brown, Silas Beverstock; **Pawlet**, Paul Buswell; **Castleton**, William Ballou; **Brandon**, Joel Bernard; **Rutland**, James Claghorn, Amy Cook, John Cook; **Middletown**, Benjamin Coy; **Philadelphia**, Seth Churchill; **Clarendon**, Phebe Cross; **Mt. Holly**, Stephen Clark; **Rutland**, Rufus Deland, John Daniels, **Pittsford**, Roxana Drury; **Rutland**, James Ewing; **Middletown**, Jacob Eddy; **Rutland**, John Finten; **Clarendon**, Asa Foster; **Rutland**, Hannah Gibson, Sylvester Grennel; **Rupert**, Nahum Gurley; **Stockbridge**, Asa Gilbert; **Rutland**, Abel Holbrook, Heber Haskin, John Hollenbeck; **Clarendon**, James Harrington; **Shrewsbury**, Joel Hill; **Castleton**, Zachariah Hawkins; **Pittsford**, David Hall, Clark Harwood; **Rutland**, James Irving, Seth Johnson, David Jackson; **Shrewsbury**, Josiah Jennison; **Pittsfield**, Amos Jones; **Rutland**, Nehemiah Kelly; **Shrewsbury**, John Kilburn; **Pittsford**, Amos Kellogg, Reuel Keith; **Rutland**, Aaron Miller, Elias Munger; **Clarendon**, William Marsh; **Rutland**, David Osgood; **Clarendon**, Jonathan Parker; **Medway**, Jacob Page; **Leicester**, Abijah Perry; **Rutland**, Jean Reynolds; **Shrewsbury**, Calvin Robinson; **Pittsford**, Peter Rice; **Wallingford**, James Rustin; **Rutland**, Isaac Scott or Judge Graham; **Danby**, Edmund Sherman; **Clarendon**, Oliver Steward, Daniel Smith, Henry Stannard; **Pittsford**, Polly Strong, Bethia Staunton, Samuel Sergeant, Jesse Stattuck; **Castleton**, Job Stiles; **Tinmouth**, Stanley and Allen; **Sudbury**, Charles Stewart; **Rutland**, Sally Toussaint; **Shrewsbury**, Meletiah Tambling;

Rutland, Adam Willis; Hubbardton, Ezra Wood; Pittsford, John Woodward; Tinmouth, Charles Willard; Ira, Omri Warner, Parthena Warner. Thomas Hooker, P.M.

Sat., 25 Oct. 1806:

Articles from Danbury, 7 Oct.: Accident at New Marlboro, MA, 18 inst.; while Eben. Knapp was working under a sawmill one of the children, a girl, c. 3 was watching; she fell from the mill into falls of Whiting's River, 92 feet; she survived.

Accident, Miss Eliza Fox, dau. of Moses Fox of South-East, NY on 2d inst., standing by fire, clothes caught and she burned to death, died in 4<sup>th</sup> yr.

Wed. last, Ruggles Beardsley of Washington in this state was thrown from his horse and died, c. 26 yrs. Last week woman accidentally killed at Bridgeport by discharge of gun.

Last Wed., Philander Baldwin of this town, son of Samuel, c. 8 yrs. old, fell 40 feet from a chestnut tree, will probably not survive. [End of Danbury articles.]

Pawlet, Tavern House owned by Ephraim Fitch, Esq., and occupied by his brother burned.

Married this town, Thurs., 16 inst., Minet Farmer, Miss Polly Hosington, both of this town.

Married Woodstock, Sun. eve last, John Reynolds of this town, Miss Roba Bennett of former place.

Rutland, Ebenezer P. Tuttle found stray horse.

Probate, David Whitney, Clarendon, at Erastus Hill's Tavern.

Sat., 1 Nov. 1806:

Died this village, last Thurs. eve, Miss Lucy Stearns, 15, poem.

Died Cavendish, Mrs. Esther Chaplin, 69, wife of Capt. William.

Rutland, John Smith & Co. ad, new goods.

Sat., 8 Nov. 1806:

Capt. Lewis and Clark have arrived at St. Louis.

Married Plymouth, VT, Elijah Dunbar, Miss Rachel White, both of that place.

Married Cornish, 20 ult. by T. Chase, Esq., Jabez Luther, Miss Betsey Parker. Some years ago he had lost both hands and part of both arms from blast of a cannon; he feeds, dresses, shaves himself, writes well and has mercantile business.

Died this town, 7 inst., of consumption, Miss Lucy Dewing in 28<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Shrewsbury, 29 ult., Mrs. Ruth Bond, c. 30, wife of Josiah.

Died Middlebury, Paul Lucas, 33.

Died Middlebury, Miss Polly Flangan, 20.

Died Middlebury, Miss Rebekah Morton, 12.

Died Orwell, Billy Monger, Sr., 80<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Newburyport, Timothy Dexter, 60; styled himself "Lord Dexter, First in the East." Had large property, was a perfect ignoramus. Once sent a cargo of warming pans to West Indies where they were converted into molasses ladles and sold at a good profit.

Sat., 15 Nov. 1806:

Article on Lewis and Clark expedition.

Hartland, Zebulon Lee's new barn destroyed by lightning, Fri. eve last.

Windsor, 3 inst., Mon., Mrs. Lamphere, wife of George, interred in West Parish; she died on Sun., body exhumed Tues. for autopsy by nine doctors. They said she died of injuries received on the side and across the loins. George Lamphere and his mother, as accessory, taken to jail.

Married Champlain, 9 ult., John Dix, Miss Sally Dunning, both of that place; poem.

Died Kingston, NY, 28 ult., Rev. Thomas Adams, Principal of Academy in that town.

Died Washington, PA, 8 inst., John Israel, Esq., from a slight puncture of a bayonet in little finger; register and recorder of Washington Co., and formerly editor of *Tree of Liberty* at Pittsburgh.

Died this town, 11[?14] inst., child of George Cunningham, four yrs.

Pawlet, apprentice boy, Ira Plumley, c. 18, ran away from John Penfield.

Fairhaven, Salmon Norton and Ebenezer Dickinson dissolve partnership, each will continue to manufacture iron.

West Rutland, Isaac Southworth found a steer.

Fairhaven, Tilly Gilbert and Salmon Norton dissolve partnership.

Sat., 22 Nov. 1806:

Died this town, Fri., 7 inst., Miss Lucy Dewing in 25<sup>th</sup> yr., last of three sisters who have died; long, poem. [Part gone] Knox died at ae 57 from swallowing a chicken bone that perforated his bowels. [Probably Henry Knox of Revolutionary War fame, born 1750, died 1806.]

Rutland, Jeremiah Stratton, Manchester, has fanning mills for sale at Rutland.

Rutland, Obadiah Wheeler finds stray steers.

Divorce, Abigail Snell of Newhaven vs. Samuel Snell of Addison, married 19 Oct. 1806, separated 22 Oct. 1806.

Divorce, Elizabeth Dwyer of Orwell vs. Jeremiah Dwyer, late of Castleton, now unknown, married 20 Oct. 1801 at Orwell; 1 Jan. 1803 at Castleton he deserted her.

Wallingford, Rufus Bucklin's wife, Sibil, left him.

Sat., 29 Nov. 1806:

Clarendon, Gristmills and Sawmills in west part of Clarendon and small house with four acres on Great Road from Rutland to Salem, c. one mile from Ira Meeting House, for sale by Timothy Smith.

Divorce, Israel Johnson of Shoreham vs. Rhoda Johnson, married 8 Aug. 1805, Rhoda Horman[?Harman], separated 1 Oct. 1805, adultery.

Chittenden, 27 inst., heard wolves, killed four of the five wolves.

Sat., 6 Dec. 1806:

Fire, dwelling of Otis Taft of Huntington, burned eve 23 ult.

Married this town, Thurs., 27 ult. by Rev. Ball, Olivet Ford, Miss Polly Post, both of this town.

Married Shrewsbury, Thurs. last, by Rev. Ball, David Hart of this town to Miss Sally Bidwell of the former place.

Married Clarendon, John Larned, 26, Miss Sarah Hills, 41, both of that place.

Married New Haven, 23 ult., John Jackson, Esq. of Milton, Miss Nancy S. Smith.

Died Salisbury, CT, Hon. Joshua Staunton, 38, late Chief Judge of Chittenden County Court.

Died Windsor, Miss Sally Wood, 20, dau. of Lt. Daniel.

Court, Dan Smith and Son (John D.) of Benson vs. Reuben Tupper, late of Westhaven, Northrup Rockwell of Middletown, Trustee.

Sat., 13 Dec. 1806:

Rutland, Stockbridge Turnpike to meet at Henry Gould's Inn in Rutland; William Page, Jr., Treasurer.

Pittsford, Oliver Booge found stray heifer.

Married West Rutland, Thurs. eve, 4 inst., by Rev. Haynes, Barlow Gorham, Miss Sibil Moses, both of that place.

Probate, Elihu Benson, Danby, Hulda Benson, administrator.

Sat., 20 Dec. 1806:

Brandon, Pelatiah Phillips found stray mare.

Rutland, First Medical Society of Vermont to meet at Gordon's Hotel in Rutland, Jno. Cleveland, Secretary.

Stephen Burroughs escaped from prison in Montreal.

Married Castleton by Robert Temple, Esq., Daniel Moulton, Miss Roxana Kilbourn, both of that place.

Sat., 27 Dec. 1806:

Rutland, Wells and Washburn dissolve partnership.

Springfield, MA, 10[?] inst., Mon. at sunset, wife of Capt. Eli Ball of West Springfield, her son and dau. and Isaac Manchester were crossing Connecticut River on ice in a cutter, ice gave way. Mr. Ball saved his mother and Manchester, but his sister, c. 16, drowned.

Married West Rutland, 18 inst., by Rev. Haynes, David Jackson, Jr., Miss Sylva Moses, both of that place.

Married Pittsford, 25 inst., by Rev. Haynes, Elijah Starkweather of this town. Miss Ama Johnson of former place.

Died Castleton, 21 inst., Miss Rachel Lake, 25.

Sat., 3 Jan. 1807:

Prices of *Rutland Herald*, in village when papers are sent \$2.00 per year. To subscribers who receive papers by mail, \$2.00 exclusive of postage. To those who pick up papers at the office, \$1.50 per year, etc. Proprietors of Brandon to meet at Penuel Childs in Brandon to make plan of town, surveys, Clarendon, Jonathan Parker, J.P.

Rutland, pay up debts to Abner Moon. Those who are in arrears of Parish Tax for 1806 pay same or constantly attend Meeting.

List of letters at Rutland Post Office: **Rutland**, Ebenezer Andrus, Timothy Brockway; **Pittsford**, Aurora Bebee, David Brewster; **Chittenden**, Solomon Bebee; **Shrewsbury**, John Bullard, Henry Bond; **Rutland**, John W. Crane; **Chittenden**, Daniel Carpenter; **Clarendon**, Levi Colvin, Geo. Cook; **Ira**, William Collins; **Vermont**, John Crawford; **Rutland**, John Daniels, John Daniels, Jr., Henry Dalon; **Clarendon**, Daniel Dyer; **Rutland**, Daniel Greeno, Jr., William P. Graham, Dan Giddings; **Pittsford**, John and Isaac Gillet, Thomas Gibbs; **Rutland**, William Hartwel, Brewster Higby; **Middletown**, Josiah Hooker; **Clarendon**, Truman Hicks, Thomas Hutchinson; **Pittsford**, Thomas Hammond, Moses Hitchcock; **Shrewsbury**, Janna Holton; **Mt. Tabor**, Thomas Hulett; **Middletown**, James Ives; **Ira**, Solomon Kingsley; **Mt. Holly**, Jonathan Keep; **Vermont**, Samuel Kellogg; **Rutland**, Luther Leet, Simeon Lester; **Pittsford**, Samuel Lucas; **Clarendon**, Francis Matterson, Thomas Munsel; **Mt. Holly**, David Morrison, Samuel Morrison, Daniel Morrison; **Rutland**, Asa Marsh; **Pittsford**, Sardis Manly; **Middletown**, Amasa Mehurin; **Clarendon**, Benjamin Parker, Abner Perry; **Tinmouth**, Benjamin Perry; **Wells**, John Paurse[?]; **Chittenden**, Elijah Powell; **Rutland**, Nathan Rosseter, Nicholas Reynolds, Ebenezer Rollins, Benjamin Spencer, Joel Strong, Charlotte Smith; **Shrewsbury**, Noah Sparhawk; **Castleton**, William Spaulding; **Rutland**, Samuel Tilson, Sally Toussaint; **Rochester**, Silas Tupper; **Wallingford**, Joab Todd; **Rutland**, Daniel Wright, Solomon Wetherbe, Patrick Wyms; **Hubbardton**, Ezra Wood; **Mt. Holly**, Levi Warren; **Clarendon**, Silas Whitney; **Chittenden**, Otis Wheeler.

Middletown, John Torrence and Isaac M. Chesebrough dissolve partnership [store].

Poultney Turnpike Meeting at John Stanley's in Poultney. Benj. Carver, Corp. Clerk.

Probate, David Perry, Hubbardton, Joseph Warner, Administrator, Sudbury.

Brandon, Pelatiah Phillips has found a mare.

For sale at Thomas Hooker's Store in Rutland, William G. Hooker's, Middlebury, VT, Daniel Hopkins' (wholesale and retail), Hartford, CT, tooth-ache drops, nipple salve, and Hopkins' Cure for the Piles (laxative pill and ointment).

Sat., 10 Jan. 1807:

William Fay, publisher of *Rutland Herald*, tells what he will choose for news, etc., and will accept death and marriage notices.

Titus Hutchinson, Esq., of Woodstock, has been elected President of Vermont State Bank, and Job Lyman, Cashier of Woodstock Branch.

Rutland, Grand Royal Arch Chapter of State of Vermont [Masonic] elect officers.

Ordained Sudbury 1[?] inst., Rev. Silas Parsons, names of ministers that participated.

Died Panton, 17 ult., suddenly Mrs. Tirzah Curtis, 72, wife of John S.

Died Windsor, Mrs. Amy Woods, 40, wife of Lt. Daniel.

Rutland, Buck and Bisbee, Cabinet work, make and letter signs, paint.

Peacham, VT, Counterfeitors taken, Oliver Barker, Esq. broke up ring in Lower Canada. He went to [Stephen] Burroughs' old residence and found plates for counterfeiting. Arrested Smith Williams, Moses Bacon, John Stewart, Thomas Smith and Samuel Tibbetts, alias Rummensie. Liberated three former for lack of evidence, last to jail in Montreal.

Windsor, 14 inst., Luther Parker and Francis M'Allister arrested at Springfield for passing counterfeit bills. Gen. Morris and a magistrate made arrest at M'Allister's house which he kept as an Inn. Found plates, etc. A transient person, William Wiswall, arrested same place, had counterfeit bills but was probably not connected to other two. All sent to jail.

Sat., 17 Jan. 1807:

Portsmouth, NH fire on Bow Street, 24 ult., long, and names of shopkeepers.

Died Walpole, 4 inst., Mrs. Lovina Charter, 19 yrs., consort of Mr. N. Charter, one of printers of *Political Observatory*.

Rutland, Farm for sale by Abner Mead, on the flat a little south of Blanchard's Tavern, 150 acres, house and barn.

Probate, estate of Elihu Benson, late of Danby, sold at dwelling of Huldah Benson, Danby, Administrators: Huldah Benson, Amos Brown.

Sat., 24 Jan. 1807:

First Medical Society of Vermont names officers: Ezekiel Porter, President, John Cleveland, Secretary, James Porter, Treasurer, William Frisbee, Joel Green, Silas Hamilton, Asahel Holton, Ezra Clark, censors. Admitted to practice, John Fox, Prentiss D. Cheney, Henry S. Waterhouse, Henry Smith, Jana Holton. Married Pittsford, 15 inst. by Rev. Haynes, Timothy Adams of this town, Miss Mindwell Barnes of former place.

Married Ira, 8 inst. by Jason Newton, Esq., Julius Sykes of Pawlet, Miss Parthena Warner of former place. Died Lexington, KY, Hon. John Breckenridge, Attorney General of U.S.

Died Sheldon on a visit, Dr. Jabez Fitch, ae 77, late of Vergennes, father of Rev. Ebenezer Fitch, President of Williamstown College.

Died Mrs. Catharine Cross, wife of Ephraim Cross of this place; 22 March 1806 delivered two boys and on 9 Dec. 1806 delivered two boys and a girl. Within eight months and 23 days she gave birth to five children. Milford, 15 Dec. 1806 from Cooperstown paper.

Sat., 31 Jan. 1807:

It is reported from Washington City that Hon. Israel Smith [he's from Rutland], Senator to Congress from VT is to be appointed Attorney General of U.S. in place of Hon. John Breckinridge, deceased.

15 Jan., Amherst [?MA], house of Lt. John Pratt of New Ipswich burned. Joseph Jeffers, a foreigner living in family, discovered fire. Mrs. Wheeler's older son saved. Her child of 3½ died, she recovered; Pratt and his wife saved. Long article.

Springfield, MA, Fri., last, mail stage broke through ice on Connecticut River c. one mile below bridge, all three passengers escaped injury. A young woman was drowned in similar incident about three weeks ago near same spot.

12 Jan., Albany, Sat. last, a young gentleman and three ladies set on in sleigh from Albany on the ice to Shodack. About quarter mile from Shodack broke through ice. Miss Jane Ann Lansing, dau. of Sanders Lansing, Esq. of Albany, drowned.

Rutland Co. Court, Jerimiah Adams of Whitehall, NY vs. John and Isaac F. Roe of NYC.

Rutland Co. Court, John L. Bowne of NYC vs. same Roes.

Rutland Co. Court, William Wallace of Pawlet vs. Aaron Perry of Leicester, trustee of Nathan Perry, late of Leicester, absconded debtor.

Rutland Co. Court, Dan'l Boardman of NYC vs. same Roes.

Sat., 7 Feb. 1807:

Probate, sale of estate of Calvin Munger at Isaac Cutler's Inn, Fair Haven, nine acres, small dwelling, new barn, 28x36 feet, shoemaker's shop and tan works, water, situated few rods of Meeting House. Rebecah S. Munger, Tilly Gilbert, administrators..

Shrewsbury, Ephraim Knights says wife Phebe has broken the marriage covenant.

Middletown, Capt. J. Miner ad, the *First Company of Music* in Vermont will assemble to perform exercises in Josselyn's Ball Chamber at Middletown.

Thomas Jefferson writes of Aaron Burr's conspiracy.

Rutland, Judge Harrington opens Supreme Court.

Poultney, heifer broke into enclosure of Elijah Ames

Poultney Turnpike Company, Ichabod Babcock, Treasurer.

Clarendon Furnace in blast, Abner Perry & Co.

Shoreham, colt broke into enclosure of Joseph Tower.  
Rutland, First Medical Society of Vermont meeting.

Sat., 14 Feb. 1807:

More on Burr conspiracy.

Married this village, Wed. eve last, by Rev. Ball, William Page, Jr., Miss Mary Boardman, both of this village.

Married Ira, Sun., 2d. inst. by Jason Newton, Esq., Jonah D. Simons, Miss Rebecca Collins, both of that place.

Married Shodick, ME, Timothy Duty, ae 72, Miss Piggy Cormice, 15, poem.

Died this village, eve 11 inst. of a consumption, Judah P. Spooner, printer, c. 60.

Died this village, 9 inst., Cassius Williams Reed, son of Issachar Reed, Esq., ae 3.

Died Craftsbury, Jacob White, 71.

Died NY, 20 inst., David Thompson, Esq. from wound in a duel, etc.

Keene, NH, 24 Jan., a sheep belonging to Joseph Baker of Packersfield was missing in snowstorm of 3 Dec. last. Found on 2 inst. in snow alive, survived on melted snow and turf on which she lay.

Wallingford, Amos Jackson's wife, Olive, left.

Sat., 21 Feb. 1807:

Counterfeitors, Wed. night last, several gentlemen of this village arrested six persons at Willoby's Tavern in Shrewsbury. Four bound over at Supreme Court.

Rutland Jail escape, Simeon White, confined for debt, broke jail. Henry Gould, jailer.

Died this village, yesterday morning, Timothy Cheeney, 61, funeral tomorrow at noon.

Rutland, David Long ad for Alexander Mc'Nitt's improvement for making potash and pearlash.

Sat., 28 Feb. 1807:

More on Shrewsbury counterfeitors, Remington, Allen, Winslow and Mix. Thursday night last, Remington and Allen taken to E.[Erastus] Hill's Tavern in Clarendon and charged.

Probate, Samuel Dow, late of Upper Canada, his land in Danby to be sold, Abel Horton, Administrator.

Died this town, Sun. last, Daniel Greeno, 55.

Died West Rutland, 17 inst., Mrs. ----- Deland, wife of Rufus.

Died Windsor, Hannah Smith, 47, wife of Capt. Asahel.

*Bedford Gazette*, Fri., 23<sup>rd</sup> ult., James Pollock, son of Justice Pollock of Ligimore Valley, Westmoreland Co., shot and stabbed, supposed to have been murdered by Frenchmen: John Pascal Arnaud and Nool Hignel. Hignel[?Hugnel] taken and is in Somerset jail; Arnaud killed.

Peacham paper, a man from Hardwick, MA informs us about an incident that took place 22 ult. at Hardwick. Mrs. Jeduthan Spooner, mentally deranged, sneaked up behind her mother, Mrs. Crowell, who was smoking her pipe and took an axe to her skull. Mrs. Crowell, nearly 80, died six days later.

Samuel Harrison of Chittenden [?VT], was crossing creek in Stillwater, NY with load of wheat 19 inst., was turned into swift current but escaped unharmed.

Postmaster A. Gilbert lists letters remaining at Brandon Post Office: Shoreham, Rev. Evan Beardsley; Brandon, Rev. Samuel Howe, Benj. Merriam, Samuel Mott, Levi Jacobs; Sudbury, Asahel Stacey, Ebenezer M. Hitchcock.

Sat., 7 Mar. 1807:

Address of Gen. Kosciusko to Poles.

Arrest of Aaron Burr.

Eben Barnes of VT committed to jail in Providence for counterfeiting.

Rutland, Luther Phinney wants apprentice blacksmith.

Probate, David Stark, Pittsford.

Public exhibition at Castleton Academy 11 March.

Married Westminster, 22 ult., Nathaniel Gould of Walpole, Miss Clarrissa Eaton of former place.

Married Freetown, MA, Nathaniel M. Fuller of Sherburne, VT, Miss Anna Cole of Freetown.

Fairhaven, Amos Cramer's wife, Damarus, has left him and taken two young sons, Amos and Hiram.

Great Northern Turnpike Road Co., bids for making road submitted to Charles R. Webster in Albany or Adriel Peabody in Plattsburgh. Begins at Sandy Hill near Ft. Edward on Hudson River. Runs west of Lakes George and Champlain 130 miles to Canadian line. Adriel Peabody, Secretary.

Just published, Dr. Swift's sermons by late Rev. Job Swift, D.D., sketches of his life and sermon by Rev. Lemuel Haynes, A.M. at West Rutland on occasion of his death. Price 75¢.

Sat., 14 Mar. 1807:

Died Wallingford, morn of 9<sup>th</sup> inst., Mrs. Desire Miller, wife of Solomon, 72.

Died Middletown, 2 inst., Mrs. Hulda Morgan, wife of Jonathan.

Died West Rutland, 18 ult. of consumption, Mrs. Lucy Deland, wife of Ensign Rufus, 42<sup>nd</sup> year. Gave instructions to her children, poem: "I leave my dearest friends below, A country to explore; A journey I am call'd to go, And shall never return no more. She spoke—then calmly closed her eyes, And quit the slumb'ring clay; Swift was her transit through the skies, The realms of endless day."

Married Springfield by Rev. Smilie, John Stark Edwards, Esq., of Warren (New Connecticut), Miss Lovisa Maria Morris, dau. of Gen. Lewis R. Morris.

Married Weathersfield, Darius Jones, merchant, Miss Eliza Hatch, dau. of Reuben, Esq.

Mt. Holly, Nat. D. Barnes found small bundle of bank bills on Turnpike.

Bills for bridge to be built over White River in Stockbridge on Rutland-Stockbridge Turnpike Road will be sold at Henry Gould's in Rutland. Elias Keyes, President.

Pay the Post, Rutland, William Shaw asks for payment for newspapers. [He is postrider.]

Attend to the Pedlar's call—Elisha Webber, Champlain, payment due for newspapers,

Probate, Elias Willard, Tinmouth. Zenas Allen, Elisha Smith, Administrators.

Samuel Prentiss says Jonh[sic] Gould has no right to settle his accounts.

Sat., 21 Mar. 1807:

Clarendon, Co-partnership of Abner Perry & Co. dissolved; Wait Rathbun, Abner Perry, Henry Hodges, Fred'k A. Fuller [This was Clarendon Furnace].

Middletown, Zenas Beebe's wife, Eunice, has left.

Suicide, Bennington paper, 1<sup>st</sup> inst., Return Strong, ae 52, found dead in his barn, had been despondent, cut throat with razor.

Married Middlebury, James Johnson of that place to Miss Anna Ward of Haverhill, NH.

Married Orwell, Aaron Fisher, Esq., Mrs. Elenor Shepherd of Boston.

Married New Haven, Calvin Sprague, Miss Sophia Huntington, dau. of Abner, Esq., all of that place.

Married Shelburne, Samuel Paine, Miss Rachel Reed, both of that town.

Died Castleton, 16 inst. of consumption, Capt. James Merrill, 55.

Died Castleton, same day, Mrs. Adams, wife of Pelatiah.

Died St. Albans, Col. Joseph Jones by slipping into vat of hot liquor in his distillery.

Died Shoreham, Col. Ephraim Doolittle, 86.

Died Cornwall, Samuel Ingraham, 19<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Shelburne, Miss Philenda Miner, 20.

Sat., 28 Mar. 1807:

Married this town, last Sun. eve, by Rev. Haynes, Reuben Smith of Clarendon, Miss Naomi Ewing of this place.

Married Clarendon, 19 inst., Joel Francis of Middletown, Miss Rebecca Smith of former place.

Married Ira, 24 inst., Samuel Fish, Miss Lydia Burlingame.

Married Ira, 26 inst., Lippit[?] Martin, Miss Rhoda Moulton, all of Ira.

Died Washington City, 4 inst., Hon. Abraham Baldwin, Senator to Congress from GA.

Died Boston, 14 inst., Rev. Samuel Stillman, D.D., 70.

Proclamation for Fast Day by Gov. Isaac Tichenor.

Sat., 4 April 1807:

Ordained at Vergennes, 12 inst., Rev. John Hough, Congregational minister.

Married Middlebury by Rev. Merrill, John Simmons, Esq., attorney, Miss Laura Bell, dau. of Harvey Bell, all of that place.

Died, Middlebury, Benjamin Smalley, 86, first settler of Middlebury.

Died Whiting in apoplectic fit, Dr. Aaron Mack.

Died Brandon, 15 ult., Widow Mary Couch, 86<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Poultney of numb palsy, Stephen Pitkin, c. 50 yrs.

Died Poultney, Eliza Buckland, ae 6, dau. of Samuel Buckland

Died Greenbush, NY, Hon. John E. Van Allen, formerly Representative to Congress from that state.

Died 15 Feb., Gen. Pascal Paoli, the Corsican patriot and God-father to Bonaparte.

List of letters remaining at Rutland Post Office: **Pittsford**, Elisha Adams, 3 [letters]; **Rutland**, Timothy Boardman, Timothy Brockway, Isaac Bowen, Widow Virtue Briggs; **Clarendon**, Joseph Breck; **Pittsford**, Thomas Burdit; **VT**, Elizabeth Bollsbay; **Rutland**, David Carter; **Clarendon**, Jonathan Church; **Rutland**, Mr. Davis, Achsah Dodge; **Pittsford**, Calvin Drury; **Clarendon**, Thomas Eddy; **Rutland**, Solomon Foot, Frederick A. Fuller; **Clarendon**, Asa Foster, John Forbes; **Mt. Holly**, Abel Fairwell; **Rutland**, John Gould; **Rutland**, Dan Giddings; **Brandon**, Joshua Goss; **Rutland**, Josiah Hart, Wm. Hall; **Westhaven**, Asher Huggins; **Clarendon**, Jonathan Hays, Truman Hicks, Robert Hammond; **Chittenden**, Samuel Harrison; **Hubbardton**, Timothy Hunt; **Pittsford**, Israel Keith, Ruel Keith; **Tinmouth**, David Lee; **Shrewsbury**, Helena Longstreet; **Rutland**, Joseph Morey, Philemon Morey; **Pittsford**, Stephen Mead; **Wallingford**, Thomas Miller; **Rutland**, Silas Pratt, Mills Purdy, Allyn Pooler; **Clarendon**, Abijah Pratt, 2 letters, Newland Perkins; **Pittsford**, Milton Potter, 2 letters, Justus Powers, Mary Powers; **Wallingford**, Ezekiel Ross; **Pittsford**, Elisha Ritchy, Samuel Riggs; **Rutland Co.**, Samuel Ransom; **Rutland**, David Strong, John Sullings, Joel Smith, Eunice Staunton; **Pittsford**, Jesse Shattuck, Ebenezer Smith; **Castleton or Clarendon**, Thomas Spencer; **Clarendon**, Pierce Spencer; **Castleton**, Thomas Stoneage; **Ira**, Ruth Tower; **Pittsford**, Abijah Tucker; **Rutland**, Christopher Webber, Timothy Willard, Daniel Williams, Moses Watkins; **Pittsford**, Clarissa Warner; **Shrewsbury**, Samuel White, Jr.; **Mt. Holly**, Abner Wilson, Jr.; **Hubbardton**, Ebenezer Wallis. Thomas Hooker, P.M.

Sat., 11 Apr. 1807:

More on Aaron Burr.

Marblehead, from *Boston Sentinel*, Fri. last, Jackson Neal and wife, Polly, arrested for counterfeiting.

Daniel Holand/Howland of Dartmouth convicted for passing counterfeit bills, received them from Jabez Thomas.

Elijah Howard, et al, of Thetford arrested for counterfeiting and passing counterfeit bills at Strafford, VT. Fire, Middlebury, Store of Capt. Jabez Rogers and contents burned Fri., 27 ult. This is fourth building he has lost to fire.

Same date at Burlington, large brick store belonging to Moses Jewett and occupied by Messrs. Jewett and Moore, Messrs. Newell and Russell and D. Farrand burned.

Died Killingworth [from *Connecticut Herald*], 1 Dec. last, Dr. Timothy Todd, 48, for many years distinguished practitioner of Physic in Vermont, broken down by repeated instances of sickness. [He once lived in Rutland.]

Divorce petition, Eunice Beebe of Middletown vs. Zenas Beebe; married 9 June 1803. He then of Sharon, Litchfield Co., CT; deserted her Nov. 1803, adultery.

Sat., 18 Apr. 1807:

Fourteen miles from Union, PA, at Laurel Furnace, 24<sup>th</sup> of last month, Daniel M'Collister descended stack to retrieve tools, overcome and fell dead. Josiah Mitchell went to rescue M'Collister and suffered same fate. Mitchell's father let down by rope, became ill, was hoisted up, but recovered.

Married Baltimore, Master John Richardson, 15, Miss Phebe Maria T. Fullerton, 13, poem.

Married Providence, Master Harvey Thurston, 16, Miss Sally Eaton, 32, poem.

Married at his farm in Rowan Co., John Wright, 85, Miss Johnson, 13, poem.

Died New Orleans, 23 Feb. last, Mrs. An—Wilkinson, consort of Gen. James, after long and painful illness.

Probate, Isaac Ballard, Tinmouth, at house of Dexter B. Brown.

Rutland, John Prentiss has garden seeds from Quaker gardens for sale.

Sat., 25 Apr. 1807:

Died Georgia, John White, Esq., Court Clerk of Franklin Co. and Deputy Marshall.  
Died Brattleboro, Dr. George H. Hall, 54.

Sat., 2 May 1807:

Putney, David Leavitt's letter to Moses Robinson, President, and Rev. Thomas Gross, scribe to late Vermont Council of Censors, responding to complaint that Leavitt has mal-administered the office of Justice of the Peace.

Married Pittsford, 23 ult., William Cooley, Miss Rhoda Harwood, dau. of Rev. Harwood of that place. Just published and for sale, a Letter to Rev. Hosea Ballou by Rev. Lemuel Haynes of Rutland, etc. Also will be published in press in a few days; controversy between Haynes and Ballou, preacher of Universal Salvation, other letters and sermons listed.

Biographical sketch of General Joseph Warren who fell at Breed's Hill in Revolution, born Roxbury [MA], 1740. Entered Harvard, at 15, and received honors of that seminary in 1759 and 1762, practicing physician in 1764 when smallpox spread through Boston. At battle of Lexington a ball grazed his hair and took off part of his ear lock, according to Gen. Heath's memoirs. Spring of 1776 when British left Boston, his body taken from Breed's Hill to burial site in Boston.

Probate, Daniel Greeno, Rutland, Daniel Greeno, Administrator.

Sat., 9 May 1807:

Proposals for carrying the mail in VT, routes outlined, towns and times given. Gideon Granger, Post-Master General, Washington, DC.

Murdered at Centreville, 7 inst., Capt. John A. Gooch of above town shot by Robert Trimble. Gooch is survived by a young widow. Citizens of Centreville and Livingston Co. are offering a \$200 reward for Trimble; ac c. 23 or 24, etc. Signed by Hiram M'Daniel, A. Gooch, Enoch Price, Moses Shelby, James Hawthorn, Horatio Merry, Robert Leeper, Isaac Ballard, James Ritchie, Sr., W. Armstrong, David Kine, James Deacon, Joshua Scott, Robert Hodge, Jesse Ford, George Brown, Robert M'Connell.

Sat., 11 ult., Noel Huguel executed at Somerset, PA for murder of David Pollock.

*Middlebury Mercury*, Asa Alexander, c. 25 yrs., left home in Hinesburgh on 17 inst. in a deranged state. Stayed in Monkton one night and has not been heard from since. Parents are aged and father sick.

Johnson Matterson of Shaftsbury in time of the late great snow killed 17 crows in one shot and the next day 21 crows in one shot. When snow is deep and new fallen, make a channel two feet wide and 10 or 12 feet long. Place bait in channel, shoot in early morning from a concealed position. Then hang the dead birds on a pole in a field, crows will not light within 20 rods of a dead bird.

Married this town, Wed. eve last, Silas D. Willis, Miss Submit Finten.

Died Washington City, 8 ult., in 50<sup>th</sup> yr., John Beckley, Esq., Clerk of U.S. House of Representatives.

Died Cambridge, VT, 13 ult., William Campbell, 45, struck in head by limb of a falling tree, died instantly.

Died Vergennes, 5 ult., Luke Strong, Esq., 39<sup>th</sup> yr., after a long illness.

Died Middlebury, 24 ult., suddenly, Calvin N. Storey, 21.

Died Lansingburgh, 23 ult., Ezra Hickok, 71.

Died Hamilton, MA, Daniel Appleton, 89, no heirs, left nearly \$30,000 in his will to the poor of Essex Co.

Died Lee, MA, 15 ult., John White, Jr., Esq., only son of Hon. John White, Esq. of Georgia, VT, 32 yrs.

Felt his health would improve by the sea side. He and his father left home on 18 March for New Haven, CT. Reached Landlord Peet's in Lee on 14 ult., where young man died within 24 hours of his arrival.

Survived by widow and two children. In issue of the 25<sup>th</sup> ult. it was incorrectly noted he died at Georgia. West Rutland, Medad Sheldon wants a journeyman blacksmith.

Fairhaven, Tilly Gilbert wants to sell 400 acres, three sawmills on the falls, new house, barn in middle of town on the turnpike. House is near school and meeting house. Town already has paper, iron, nail and nail rod factories. Towns for 30-40 miles south and east depend upon these mills for pine boards as they are nearly destitute of pine timber.

Rutland, Pearson Freeman [a black freed slave and Revolutionary soldier and grandfather to the noted professor, Martin Henry Freeman], lost a pocketbook containing \$10.50 in bank bills, notes and fiddle strings, between Butler's Store and Capt. O. Harmon's in West Rutland.

Tinmouth Furnace now in blast, Zenas Allen.

Two letters, from Henry Ingersoll to his brother-in-law, the late Thomas Allen of Pittsfield, MA, dated Carthagena, 26 Oct. 1806, and to his father, Jonathan Ingersoll of Stockbridge, MA, 17 Feb. 1807, Carthagena after being imprisoned.

Sat., 16 May 1807:

Married Clarendon, Cromwell Bowen, Miss Sally French, both of that town.

Died Troy, 4 inst., suddenly Robert Moffit, printer, and senior proprietor of the *Northern Budget*, 33.

Died NY, 25 ult., Hugh Gaine, printer, 81.

Brandon village, E. & C. Conant have just received new merchandise from Boston.

Sat., 23 May 1807:

Windsor paper, 29 ult., Edmund Harvey of Woodstock with his son, ae 20, were trying to cross Quechee River just above Taft's dam in Hartland when they were swept over the dam. Son was saved by floodwood. Father's body was found Tues. last near mouth of Quechee River and decently interred. He is survived by a wife and seven children.

Died Pittsford, Mon. last, suddenly, Rev. Eleazer Harwood, 77 yrs., for many years pastor of Pittsford Congregational Church. Wed., Rev. Haynes of West Rutland preached funeral sermon from Matthew XXV.21[?23].

Chittenden, mare broke into enclosure of John Hall.

Proposals to print *The Doctrine of Universal Salvation* in response to *A Treatise on Atonement* by Rev. Hosea Ballou; 320 pages.

Sat., 30 May 1807:

New planet Juno discovered.

Suicide, NY, 14 May, Tues. eve, Dennis Miller, widower, married to young woman by name of Russell. Yesterday he went to churchyard and shot himself on grave of his former wife. Suicide note published. Survived by a child.

Buckstown, MA, 26 March, Mon., 16 inst., Mrs. Pearson, dau. of Capt. Rowe, of Eddington plantation with her infant a few months old visited a neighbor, wife of Joseph Eddy of that place who had a sick child. Left sick child with Mrs. Pearson, directed a little dau. to make a fire and went on an errand. Room where fire was made caught on fire. Mrs. Pearson and the two children died in flames.

More counterfeiting, Abner Hays arrested at Shrewsbury, arraigned before Jonathan Parker, Esq., found guilty, in jail at Rutland.

Leicester, MA, Zeph. Swift Moore says to beware of man who calls himself John Harvey who solicits alms from clergymen.

Rutland, squirrel hunt, 3000 squirrels and birds taken.

Fairhaven, Oliver Haddey, Jr.'s wife, Rebeccah, has left.

Rutland, Jonathan Wells and Reuben Washburn dissolve partnership. Washburn is leaving the state.

Died this town, Sat., 23<sup>rd</sup> inst., Col. John Ramsdell, 48, respectable and exemplary member of society. "A wit's a feather, and a chief's a rod—An honest man's the noblest work of God."

Died this town, 25 inst., consumption, Mrs. Vashti Hobbs, 67, wife of Jacob.

Died this town, 29<sup>th</sup>, Noble Smith, 20<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Castleton, 25<sup>th</sup>, suddenly, Job Stiles, 70.

Died New Haven, 11 inst., Andrew Fuller, 36.

Died Shrewsbury, 24<sup>th</sup>, Henry, son of Newland Perkins, five yrs.

Died Panton, 15<sup>th</sup>, Harriet, dau. of Philip Spalding, five yrs.

Church member's poem in memory of Rev. Eleazer Harwood of Pittsford.

Chittenden, mare broke into enclosure of John Hall.

Sat., 6 June 1807:

Bolton, Ralph Merry says early in spring 1799 he sent two sons into woods after lost cattle; another son, c. 10 yrs. old, occasionally deranged by reason of a fright, followed them and was lost. Searched for nine days, came across Indian camps so thought Indians had taken him; heard about a lad in Lower Canada, so I

went there several times to no avail. Then last March I heard of a delirious lad in Friburg, went there but could not find him as he is always travelling to "find his brother." He is about 18 yrs., medium stature, light blue eyes and light complexion. His real name is Benjamin Merry, but calls himself Thomas Bennet, Thomas Thompson or Benny. If anyone finds him notify me at Bolton, Province of Lower Canada, on Lake Memphremagog.

21 May, Portland, Robbery and attempted murder last Fri. in Bath [prob. Maine], Capt. Thayer, master of a brig from Providence, went to Mr. Winship's public house to pay a man some money. Man wasn't there so he went back to his vessel. On way back was shot and robbed. Bullet deflected by a button which saved his life, etc.

Melancholy Event, Dr. Merrill had been on a visit to Boston with his wife. She was not well so he left her there and went to Poland, Maine to see his mother-in-law. He and his brother were walking on road when attacked by a wild steer driven by Capt. Bolster of Paris. Carried to his house and died on 8<sup>th</sup>.

Elisha Rose of Preston, CT charged with murder of John, Joseph, Philetus T., and Clarissa Herrington, has absconded. Gov. Trumbull offers \$400 reward.

Died this town, 3 inst., Lura, dau. of Stephen Seward, 11 yrs.

Albany, Isaac Mitchell says Negro wench, Dine, c. 35, has left with her black male child, Jim; she speaks Dutch and English. She is said to have children living along Mohawk River.

Rutland, William Baxter lost his horse.

Benson, Abraham Belding's wife, Asena, left.

Sat., 13 June 1807: [Our gratitude to Thomas Ford of Houghton Library, Harvard University for checking this issue. He found no vitals or new information.]

Sat., 20 June 1807:

Trial of Aaron Burr.

Rutland, Orel Cook ad for journeymen hatters.

Rutland, Elijah B. Mack ad, horse that strayed from Mr. Capron's pasture.

Clarendon, Prescot Boyden, apprentice, ae 19, ran away from Arima Smith.

Rutland, Obadiah Wheeler, colt came into his enclosure.

Clarendon, Abner Perry and Wait Rathbun dissolve partnership.

Rutland, Thomas Hooker's for Wheaton's itch ointment and Wheaton's jaundice bitters.

Wells, horse broke into enclosure of Jason Tyler.

Westhaven, Ichabod Brainerd's wife, Polly, has left.

Baptist Church Conference at Panton.

Evangelical Society to meet at Rev. William Jackson's in Dorset. Nath'l Hall, President, Granville.

Rutland, Elijah Starkweather, Jr. has commenced stone cutting business in Whipple Hollow c. 3½ miles from West Meeting House, blue and white marble.

Probate, David Hogg's real estate at Hubbardton will be sold at Lewis Drewry's inn. William Hall, administrator. [David Hogg's children changed their names to Hall.]

Sat., 27 June 1807:

Clever account of squirrel hunt in Pittsford.

Piermont, NH, Mon. 11<sup>th</sup>, Store of Dame and Sargent consumed by fire. Seymour Marsh family living in building. Nabby Truesdel, ae 7, living with Marsh was burned, survived 49 hours.

NH, toll bridge to be built between Walpole and Westminster, repairs to be made on bridge between Chesterfield and Brattleboro.

Married, Ira, 9 inst., Cephas Carpenter, Jr., Miss Carena Gilmore.

Married Ira, 21 inst., Jesse Gaut, Miss Polly Burlingame, all of Ira.

Died Ira, 6 inst., Nathaniel Parker in 21<sup>st</sup> yr. On 9<sup>th</sup>, his sister, Miss Hannah Parker, in 16<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Ira, 16<sup>th</sup>, Mrs. Susanna Bromley, 67.

Brandon, Edward Cheney warns against receiving or taking a note given by him to Elisha Ward, then of Armenia, PA.

Poultney Turnpike Co. stockholders to pay \$4 per share at Inn of John Stanley in Poultney. Ichabod Babcock, Treasurer.

Proposal of Samuel Mills, printer and bookseller of Burlington for printing two volumes, *The Natural and Civil History of Vermont* by Samuel Williams, L.L.D. First volume was published in 1794 by Williams [co-founder of the *Rutland Herald*]. Will contain an elegant portrait of the author. Will be ready Oct. 1808 for \$4.50.

Extract from a letter from a man in Augustine to his friend in VA. Mrs. Jordan writes about capture by Indians; her husband and six children killed. She escaped to Augustine.

Pamphlet by Rev. Joseph Lathrop, D.D., pastor of Congregational Church at West Springfield, MA.

Sat., 4 July 1807:

Fire at Saratoga Springs, 10 ult., house of Ruluf Duryea and adjoining house of Sylvester Bishop burned. Several boarders at Duryea's escaped. Dr. Steel escaped. Mr. Miller from Dummerston, VT, a/c. 58, killed by jumping out of a fourth story window. Mr. Mott, brother-in-law of Duryea, who lodged in same room with Miller, wrapped himself in a blanket and escaped.

Married Benson, 18 ult., by Oliver Church, Esq., Amos Maynard of West Haven, Miss Sybil Gibbs of former place.

Reward for counterfeiter that broke out of jail at Rutland, Abner Hayes. Henry Gould, jailer.

General Orders, Horace Olds, Esq., General of 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division, of militia, has moved out of state. Ozias Clark, Lt. Col. Commandant of same, has temporarily replaced him. David Fay, Bennington, Adj. Gen.; Caleb Hendee, Jr., Esq., Major; Commandant of 3<sup>rd</sup> [?2<sup>nd</sup>] Regt. of said Brigade.

Addison, Benjamin Adams wife, Hannah, has left.

Rutland, Hugh M'Gill has had a heifer strayed from enclosure of Widow Williams.

Rutland, Abijah Lathrop at late Wells and Washburn Store.

List of letters at Post Office in Rutland: **Rutland**, Solomon Abbott; **Pittsford**, John Van Allen or Ozem Strong; **Rutland**, John W. Brownson, Benj. Blanchard; **Pittsford**, David Brewster, Aaron Beach, Oliver Bebee; **Middletown**, John Burnam, 2<sup>nd</sup>; **Ira**, Asahel Baker; **Tinmouth**, Phebe Blakeley; **Brandon**, Nathan Bigelow, Jr.; **Shrewsbury**, Bethuel Bishop; **Mt. Holly**, David Burt; **Rutland**, Mary Cheney, Samuel Cheney, Ethiel Cushman, John H. Crane, Isaac Chatterton; **Castleton**, Eli Coggswell; **Pittsfield**, John Carpenter and Sons; **Pittsford**, Lewis Drury; **Clarendon**, Adin Drake; **Rutland**, Peter Eddy; **Middletown**, Jacob Eddy; **Rutland**, Benj. Fay; **Clarendon**, Eleazer F. Franna; **Sherburne**, John Fuller; **Wallingford**, William Fuller; **Rutland**, Ebenezer Griffith; **Clarendon**, Philip Green, Elisha Gunn[?]; **Chittenden**, Joseph Harrison; **Clarendon**, Theophilus Harrington; **Shrewsbury**, Joel Hill, Otis Herring, Mary Jennison; **Pittsford**, Israel Keith, Lot Keeler; **Clarendon**, Salmon Kendal, Joseph Knowlton, **Pittsford**, Israel Lake; **Shrewsbury**, Daniel Lincoln; **Rutland**, Charles Magill, Joseph Morey, Artemissa Moseley; **Pittsford**, Stephen Mead, Sen., Jesse Millerd; **Castleton**, Edmund Merrill, Thomas Munsell; **Clarendon**, Eli Norton; **Rutland**, Joseph Ormsby, Hovey Pearson, Spencer Patrick; **Pittsford**, Orin A. Polly; **Shrewsbury**, Calvin Robinson; **Pittsford**, Elisha Rich; **Rutland**, Peter Sutherland; **Clarendon**, Durham Sprague, Abner or John Scovel; **Shrewsbury**, Moses Sanderson; **Pittsford**, Bradley Squire; **Rutland**, Jesse Thrall, Charles K. Williams, Reuben Washburn, Meribah Williams, Daniel Williams; **Pittsford**, Abraham Walker, Luther Wicker, Sobrina Woodward; **Clarendon**, James Wylie; **Shrewsbury**, Lemuel White; **Mt. Holly**, Abner Wilson, Jr. Thomas Hooker, P.M.

Sat., 11 July 1807:

List of killed and wounded aboard U.S. Frigate Chesapeake arrived at Hampton Roads. Long article from Norfolk newspaper.

Pittsford, Truman Smith's sow strayed.

Died Middlebury, 29 ult., Stephen Larrabee, 28.

West Rutland, Ladies celebrate 4<sup>th</sup> at house of Solomon Purdy under direction of Mrs. Pomeroy and Mrs. Sheldon, walked in procession to Mr. Gilmore's hall where Mrs. N. Purdy delivered oration. List of toasts. Danby, Henry Benson found a mare.

Probate, James Merrill, Castleton, at store of James S. Merrill.

Probate, Col. John Ramsdell, Rutland.

Rutland, Orel Cook wants journeymen hatters.

Sat., 18 July 1807:

Mad dog in Rutland, attacked other animals, followed master to Pittsford and bit dogs there. Most dogs destroyed to protect public.

Sat. last, several people working on schoolhouse near Andrew Barnard's in Chittenden were shocked by lightning. They crowded together as schoolhouse not yet covered. No serious injury. Mr. Barnard lost 19 sheep by lightning.

Died Marine Hospital at Norfolk, 27 ult., Robert M'Donald, wounded on the Chesapeake by British, funeral attended by 4,000 persons.

Militia, Eli Coggsell, General of 2<sup>nd</sup> Division, Harry Chipman, aide-de-camp, alert quartermasters to examine magazines in every town.

Rutland, List of goods at Thomas Hooker's Store, drugs, dyes, tobacco, teas, wines, etc.

July 4<sup>th</sup> celebration at Cornwall, Benjamin Sanford, Marshall of the day; oration by Elder Henry Green. William Slade, Esq. as President, Martin Post as Vice President, military under direction of Capts. Reeve and Kiskum[?Kirkum] toasts.

Sat., 25 July 1807:

Escaped counterfeiter Hays seen in Western New York in a beggar's habit. Counterfeiting ring broken up Tues. last. Arrested: Philander Noble, engraver, Abiathar Boyce, Levi Roberts, John Niles. They had entered the woods near Thomas Kimball's in Plymouth. Taken before Benjamin Swan, Esq. and Samuel Damon, Esq. and lodged in jail at Woodstock. Thomas Kimball also arrested.

Mt. Holly, Ebenezer Ives found a colt.

Brandon, Richard Halladay's mare lost.

Sat., 1 Aug. 1807:

State of Vermont, General Orders, Bennington, By order of President of U.S., the Commander and Chief of Vermont is required to have 2,769 members of Vermont Militia detached, armed and equipped according to law. This detachment will consist of four Regiments and two Companies of Artillery to be arranged into one Brigade. The Regiments will consist of 667 men including officers and composed of eight companies of Infantry and Cavalry to be detached and furnished from several Divisions in following proportions: Major Generals Coggsell, Morris, Strong, and Curtis will furnish one Regiment from their Division. Long article. Commander in Chief, David Fay, Adjutant General.

Loss of the Portland Packet, on Sun. night last, the schooner Charles, Capt. Adams of Portland with 23 persons on board and valuable cargo in passage from Boston to Portland [ME]. Run aground on point protruding from Richmond Island c. two leagues westward of Portland light and immediately bilged. Sidney Thaxter, Mr. Cook and Mr. Monie swam to shore, 17 washed overboard or perished clinging to wreck. Died: Capt. Adams and wife, Mrs. Josiah Hayden and child, Mrs. Mary Stonehouse of Boston, Mrs. Richards, two children and sister, Mrs. White, a young lady of Freeport, a man, name unknown, Mr. Tandy, Mr. Jenks, Mr. Sargent, a boy and the cook, a black man. Mr. Williams, Mr. Thaxter, Mr. Monie, Mr. Cook, Mr. Richard and Mr. Pote[?] escaped. The last three were taken from the wreck on the following morning. Bodies of Capt. Adams, Mrs. White, and Mrs. Hayden recovered following day and interred on Tues. Rev. Elijah Kellogg preached at funerals at Meeting House. Bodies of Mrs. Stonehouse, Mr. Tandy, a child of Mr. Richards and a child of Mr. Hayden have since been found. Cargo worth \$20,000, about 1,000 of it saved.

Fairhaven, Curtis Kelsey has a pair of working oxen. One weighed 1,782 pounds, other 1,577. Heaviest is 7 feet, 6 inches and other 6 feet, 4½ inches.

Died this village Tues. last, of consumption, Mrs. Polly Ruggles, 24 yrs., consort of Capt. John Ruggles. Survived by husband and three tender infants.

Died Merselles, NY, 1<sup>st</sup> ult., Roswell Whitcomb, 24 yrs., late of Castleton.

Died this town, 29 ult., Rachel Langley, 17 yrs., woman of color.

Hubbardton, 4<sup>th</sup> of July celebration on hill where battle of 19 June 1777 [should be 7 July] was fought between Gen. Frasure and Col. Warner. Procession formed at Mr. L. Drewry's, proceeded to Meeting House. Orations by Rev. N. Dana, Henry V. Shaw, J.N. Seaman. Mr. J. Rumsey and Mr. L. Drewry prepared dinner. Toasts, etc.

Sat., 8 Aug. 1807:

Slate of officers for Vermont: Republican Nomination, Governor, Israel Smith; Lt. Governor, Hon. Paul Brigham, Esq., Treasurer, Benjamin Swan, Esq.; Councillors, Jonas Galusha, Ebenezer Wheelock, Nathaniel Niles, Asaph Fletcher, Josiah Wright, Noah Chittenden, Beriah Loomis, Samuel Shepardson, Samuel Shaw, Eliakim Spooner, Elias Keyes, Ezra Butler, Esquires

Died Washington City, Hon. Uriah Tracy, Esq., Senator from CT.

Died NY, 24 ult., Rev. John C. Kunzr, D.D., minister of German Lutheran Church in that city.

Died, Rev. Joseph McKean, DDA, AS, etc., late President of Bowdoin College, Wed., July 15<sup>th</sup>. Survived by widow and family. Had not completed his 50<sup>th</sup> yr. when seized with the disorder that proved fatal.

First Regiment of 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade and 2<sup>nd</sup> Division. Jonathan Orms, Lt. Col. commands. Westhaven, Towns advised to keep on hand 32 pounds of gun powder, 100 pounds of lead or musket balls and 128 flints for every 64 men enrolled in militia in said town, advises men to practice military exercise due to the problems in the South.

Pittsford, Caleb Hendee, Jr., Commandant of 3<sup>rd</sup> Regiment, 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division, advises officers commanding companies to submit a return of their companies.

Pawlet, Timothy Strong, innkeeper, has found a horse.

Castleton, C. & E. Langdon have linseed oil at their mill.

Sat., 15 Aug. 1807:

Vermont Slate of Officers on Federalist Ticket, Governor, His Excellency Isaac Tichenor; Lt. Governor, His Honor, Paul Brigham; Treasurer, Benjamin Swan; Councillors, Jonas Galusha, Nathaniel Niles, Noah Chittenden, Elias Keyes, Beriah Loomis, Apollos Austin, Alden Spooner, Samuel Fletcher, Moses Robinson, Jr., Solomon Miller, Charles Rich, Timothy Stanly, Esquires.

Newfane, Supreme Court, found Joel Eddy of that county guilty of passing counterfeit bills, 39 stripes on naked back, \$500 fine.

Drowned in Connecticut River, 29 ult., Oliver Spaulding, 22<sup>nd</sup> yr. of his age, son of Phinehas of Jaffrey, NH and member of Junior Class of Dartmouth College. He went with other students to bathe in the river, got into deep water, could not swim, was on bottom six or seven minutes before they found him and brought him to shore. Administered to him for 1½ hours but could not revive him.

Married 3 inst., at Troy, Rev. Eliphalet Nott, D.D., President of Union College, Mrs. Getty Tibbits.

Probate, Hannah Spaulding, Clarendon, at Thomas Steward's house.

Middletown, Chester M'Clure, c. 16 yrs., apprentice, ran away from Russel Barber.

Middlebury, Stephen Woodward petitions Legislature to release him from jail and he will give up all his property to creditors.

Probate, Judge Joseph Randall says John M. Hall, Esq. and Mosely Hall, persons entrusted in the following wills, presented to me to be filed and recorded: Will of Eliakim Hall, late of Wallingford, New Haven Co., CT; Will of Capt. Isaac Hall; Will of Eliakim Hall, Esq., both of Wallingford aforesaid, all deceased, the same having been allowed by Judge John Stanley, Esq., Wallingford, CT. John M. and Mosely must advertise to all persons concerned.

John M. Crouse's Cure for Hydrophobia or Bite of a Mad Dog (burned, pulverized jaw bone of a dog, false tongue of newly foaled colt, verdigrease on old copper, etc.).

Sat., 22 Aug. 1807:

Shadrach Rickleston tells of influenza epidemic in NY; gives symptoms, etc. and detailed treatments (herbal, etc.).

Burlington, Jonathan Spafford of Williston will petition Legislature to be freed from arrest for debts contracted previously.

Died Georgia, 8 inst., Mrs. Matilda Winters, ae 39; survived by husband and four children.

Died Huntington, 27 ult., Elias Farr, 56.

Died Swanton, 27 ult., after long illness of schirrhosity of the liver, Mrs. Mabel Ingals, wife of Parker, 24<sup>th</sup> yr. Physician opened her up and her liver weighed 15½ pounds.

Died Hartland, 10 inst., Joel Mathews, 20, killed by lightning as he was running from a meadow to the house to escape a shower.

Pittsford, an old man by the name of Johnson arrested in Pittsford for passing counterfeit bill, committed to jail in Rutland.

Mt. Holly, Isaac Farr will petition Legislature for suspension of all civil process against him for ten years. St. Albans, Prince Hall will petition Legislature to free him from confinement and for subsequent arrest for debt.

Rutland County Court, Zenas Allen of Timmouth vs. Joseph Wheeler of Timmouth owes him \$200 on book.

Sat., 29 Aug. 1807:

Hartland, Zacheous Johnson will petition Legislature to suspend civil process against him for six years. Death of Alfred H. Brown, merchant of the house of Brown & Hart in Troy, while journeying from Troy to Boston with an indisposed friend. Wed., 5<sup>th</sup>, arrived at Stetucket River, c. three miles above Norwich, CT. They boarded ferry; it shifted; Brown went overboard and drowned.

Rutland, John Prentiss has for sale long list of yard goods, etc.

Hartland, Otis White will petition Legislature for suspension for three years.

Shrewsbury, Rev. Hosea Ballou will preach a dedication sermon in Shrewsbury Meeting House last Tuesday of Sept. next at 11 o'clock forenoon.

Sat., 5 Sept. 1807:

Returns of Rutland Co. Towns for votes for Governor. Representatives named.

Windsor paper, Trial, Wed. last, Supreme Court under Judge Tyler at Woodstock. Mrs. Ewing and George Lanphear of this town were indicted on a charge of murdering Lanphear's wife. Verdict not guilty.

Chester paper, Thurs., 27 ult., counterfeiters Boice, Noble, Roberts and Niles who were apprehended at Plymouth plead guilty before Supreme Court at Woodstock. Sentence: stand in pillory one hour. Boice and Noble 50 stripes, others 39. Each pay fine \$700 and costs. Hard labor, five years. Two thousand spectators were on hand for the whippings.

Address delivered to Volunteer Troops of Cavalry and Artillery at Pawlet by Major General of 2<sup>nd</sup> Division.

Died Wallingford, 20 ult., Solomon Miller, 76<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Ira, 23 ult., Charles, son of Omri Warner, 8 yrs.

Rutland, Asa Graves sells sole leather.

Champlain, Elisha Webber will discontinue carrying mail from Vergennes to Champlain; he also advertises a \$5 reward for return of his stray Bay Mare.

Middlebury, William S. McLeod and Lancy Forbs petition Legislature for suspension.

Commencement at Middlebury College, names of those who obtained degrees.

Sat., 12 Sept. 1807:

Married this village, Wed. eve last, by Rev. Ball, John Barr, Miss Malinda Gordon.

Portland, Death of Commodore Preble.

Died this town, 5 inst., Miss Lydia Shaw, 44 yrs.

Died this town, 6<sup>th</sup>, Miss Lydia Wheeler, 37 yrs.

Died this town, 7<sup>th</sup>, Mr. ----- Townsend, an Englishman.

Middletown, Joel Miner will petition Legislature for Turnpike Road from Shrewsbury to west line of this state through Clarendon, Timmouth, Middletown, Poultney in direction of Whitehall Landing, head Lake Champlain.

Vershire, Phinehas Slayton will petition Legislature for suspension for four years.

Rutland, Eben and Elvin Andrews dress cloth.

College lands, facts vindicating the right of Dartmouth College and Moors' Charity School to grant made by Vermont Legislature June 1785.

Sat., 19 Sept. 1807:

Rutland, James Benedick, apprentice blacksmith, has left Luther Phinney.

List of Representatives to General Assembly.

Aaron Burr trial, verdict not guilty.

Died Hubbardton, Dr. Theophilus Flagg, 44<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died this village, 17 inst., infant of Abel Spencer, Esq.

William Shaw, mail carrier from Rutland westward will discontinue riding that route.

Rutland, David Strong's farm for sale, half mile east of Court House, 116 acres, well watered, good house and barn.

Mt. Holly, Hezekiah Moors, constable offers \$30 reward for Johnson Clark for passing counterfeit bill, ae c. 25, escaped. Bonds had been required before John Kilburn, Esq.

Middletown, Jacob Burnam in south part of town has taken up a mare.

Clarendon, Clarendon Furnace in blast, W. Rathbun.

Brandon, Paul Field's steer has strayed.

Pittsford, Jirah Barlow, clothier's business. Has a journeyman that has worked for Drury and Penfield the two years past.

More on College lands.

Sat., 26 Sept. 1807:

Chittenden and Philadelphia, Phineas Clark and J. R. Harrison found dead steer in log bear trip.

Burlington, S. Williams [probably Rev. Samuel Williams] will give lectures in Philosophy at UVM.

Died Champlain, NY, 15 inst., Stephen Warren.

Commencement at UVM, names of graduates.

More on College lands.

Sat., 3 Oct. 1807:

U.S. Circuit Court for District of Vermont opens in Rutland.

Fire, carding machine at Sutherland's Falls [now Proctor] owned by P. [Peter] Sutherland, A. Thrall, Esq., et al, consumed by fire Thurs. night of this week.

Accident, 4 inst., between Cambridge and Watertown, Beniah Webster fell from a team he was driving, wheels ran over him, died instantly. He belonged to town of Weston[?], VT and was in employ of Moses Coolidge of Watertown [probably MA].

Died Chittenden, 25 ult., of influenza, Mrs. Rachel Senot, ae 78.

Died Middletown, 27 ult., Simeon Frisbie, ae 25.

Died Hubbardton, 5 Sept., Dr. Theophilus Flagg, 44<sup>th</sup> yr., survived by wife, son and dau., long obit.

Pittsford, Justin Darling taken clothier's works formerly carried on by Penfield and Drury.

Rutland, Samuel Prentiss says dispute between him and John Gould has been settled satisfactorily. Gould had been employed by Prentiss.

Rutland, Thomas Dunning has obtained contract for carrying mail from Rutland to Champlain, formerly route of William Shaw. Dunning also is running a stage from Rutland to Walpole twice a week. At Walpole it meets Boston stage. Leaves from Gould's Tavern in Rutland.

Rutland, Benjamin Lord informs public that he has turned out his apprentice in the clock and watchmaking trade, Theodore Edwards, for disobedience and extravagance.

Rutland, David Burt, apprentice watch and clockmaker, ran away from Nichols Goddard. Burt stole from him and was unfaithful.

List of Letters at Rutland Post Office: **Rutland**, Heman Allen; **Shrewsbury**, Ziba Aldrich, Jr.; **Rutland**, Benjamin Blanchard, Isaac Bowen, Abigail Bigelow; **Clarendon**, Joseph Bishop; **Shrewsbury**, Wooster Baldwin; **Philadelphia**, Phinehas Blood; **Castleton**, Earl Baird; **Pittsford**, Ebenezer Beach; **Mt. Holly**, David Bent; **Killington**, Isaac Bisbee; **Rutland**, Timothy Cheeney, Jr., Cyrus Clark; **Pittsford**, Fanny Clifford; **Chittenden**, Daniel Carpenter; **Mt. Holly**, Benjamin Clark, Dorastus Coal; **Rutland**, Thaddeus Dunklie; **Pittsford**, Lewis Drury; **Shrewsbury**, Samuel Dennis; **Rutland**, Naomi Ewing, Samuel Fasset; **Chittenden**, Nancy Farrar; **Pittsford**, Ephraim Farrar, **Rutland**, Nathan B. Graham; **Mt. Holly**, Oliver Garnsey; **Pittsford**, John Gillet; **Rutland**, Ebenezer Hayward, Asel Hulburd, Daniel Haskins, Josiah Hart, William Hartwell; **Clarendon**, Judge Harrington, Daniel Hill, Ira Howard, Christopher Howard; **Mt. Holly**, Thomas Hinds, John Hadley, Jonas Hadley; **Pittsford**, Sally Hodgman, John Hitchcock, David Hall; **Chittenden**, John Hall; **Shrewsbury**, Archelaus Jones, John Kilburn, Jr.; **Pittsford**, Ebenezer Keeler, Israel Lake; **Shrewsbury**, Polly Low; **Rutland**, Abner Mead, Ebenezer Mussey, Joseph Morey, H.L. Milliken; **Ira**, Samuel Miles; **Pittsford**, Abiather Millard, I. Millard; **Mt. Holly**, Daniel Morrison; **Shrewsbury**, Benjamin Needham; **Rutland**, Joseph M. Ormsby, Samuel Prentiss; **Shrewsbury**, Jacob

Page; **Rutland**, Joshua Reynolds; **Shrewsbury**, Calvin Robinson; **Pittsford**, Bela Rogers, Philip Rawlins; **Clarendon**, John Randall; **Rutland**, Peter Sutherland, David Sheldon; **Clarendon**, Elihu Smith; **Tinmouth**, Elisha Smith; **Pittsford**, Eli Stevens; **Rutland**, Aaron Thrall, **Shrewsbury**, Elisha Tambling; **Williston**, Chancey Taylor; **Rutland**, Samuel Williams, Amos Weller, Nehemiah Whipple; **Pawlet**, Samuel Wright, Jr.; **Mt. Holly**, Thomas White.

Sat., 10 Oct. 1807:

Hanover, Thurs. last, Daniel Ross and Edward Burroughs, 18 or 19 years old, son of noted Stephen Burroughs, apprehended at Lebanon on suspicion of counterfeiting.

Supreme Court at Chelsea, Orange Co., following sentenced: Ezekiel Flanders, petty larceny and horse stealing, three years hard labor; David Johnson, passing counterfeit bills, two years hard labor; Nathaniel H. Cunningham, forgery, pillory and fine; Peyton Randolph Kimball, counterfeiting, three years; George Bartlett, aiding in forgery, five years; Joshua Woodward, passing counterfeit bills, two years; John P. Rutter, passing counterfeit bills, six years; John St. Clair, forging and passing bills, six years; John Johnson, passing counterfeit bills, seven years.

Rhoda, wife of John St. Clair petitioned court saying she and three small children depended solely on husband for support. Judge Harrington passed sentence and addressed the prisoner which is quoted.

Judge Tyler addressed John Johnson; said Johnson had been at Court two years ago in March at Manchester for murder of Hannah Everts by administering to her as an assumed physician half an ounce of opium infused in a quart of ardent spirits.

Legislature at Woodstock, counted votes: Governor, Israel Smith, Esq.; Lt. Governor, Paul Brigham, Esq.; Treasurer, Benjamin Swan, Esq.; Councillors, Jonas Galusha, Nathaniel Niles, Josiah Wright, Beriah Loomis, Samuel Shaw, Elias Keyes, Ebenezer Wheelock, Asaph Fletcher, Noah Chittenden, Samuel Shepardson, Eliakim Spooner, Ezra Butler, Esquires.

Died Sheldon, 26 ult., Maj. Samuel B. Sheldon, 48.

Died Orwell, 19 ult., Sampson Spaulding, c. 53.

Died Orwell, 27<sup>th</sup>, Temperance [Spaulding], his wife, c. 47. Numerous family mourns their loss.

Died Ira, 29 ult., child of Timothy Smith, 4 yrs.

Long obit of Commodore Edward Preble, b. Aug. 1761, part of Falmouth now, Portland in state of MA, district of ME, son of Hon. Jedediah, 1803 made commander of U.S. Constitution, etc.

Sat., 17 Oct. 1807:

List of members of Legislature by County.

Gov. Israel Smith's Speech.

Appointments by Legislature.

Supreme Court at Woodstock found guilty of passing counterfeit bills, George Downer, Jabez Thomas, Beriah Woodward, Silas Livermore.

Daniel Wilbur arrested for counterfeiting at Westmoreland, NH.

Married this town, 8 inst., Abner Mead, Miss Nancy Rowley, both of this town.

Rutland, Abel Spencer, attorney, forms partnership with Timothy Merrill, Esq., one door north of courthouse in Rutland.

Rutland, co-partnership of John Smith and Cephas Smith, Jr., merchants, expired on 18 June 1807.

Rutland, Abner Moon, tanner and currier.

Parkerstown [Mendon], Stephen Russell, 16, left his father Simeon's house, \$10 reward for his return.

Sat., 24 Oct. 1807:

Burroughs deserted his keepers at Dann's Patent, they were taking him to Montreal.

Governor and Council remitted sentence of Supreme Court against Thomas Kimball of Plymouth, so far as it relates to corporal punishment and imprisonment.

Rutland County Officers: Chief Judge, Hon. Isaac Clark; Hon. James Herrenton, Pliny Smith, Side Judges; Aruna W. Hyde, Sheriff; Ralph Paige, High Bailiff; Nathan B. Graham, State's Attorney; Probate Judge of Rutland District, Hon. Joseph Randall; Probate Judge of Fairhaven District, Hon. William Ward.

Married West Rutland, 8 inst., by Rev. Haynes, Rufus Deland, Jr., Miss Esther Pratt.

Married West Rutland, 18<sup>th</sup>, Samuel Fasset, Miss Dorcas Smith, all of this town.

Married Paris, 23 Aug., Imperial Highness Jerome Napoleon, King of Westphalia, Serene Highness Catherine Sophia Dorothea, Princess of Wirtemberg.  
Died Clarendon, Mrs. Elizabeth Curtiss, ae 79, wife of Thaddeus. Had been a professor of the religion of Jesus Christ for nearly 60 years.

Sat., 31 Oct. 1807:

List of Justices of the Peace by town.

Col. Caleb Hendee, Jr., appointed Brigadier General of 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade of VT Militia by Legislature.

Died Northampton, OH, 14 ult., Capt. Nathaniel Stone, ae 42, late of VT.

Masonic installations of Morning Star Lodge in Poultney and Rainbow Lodge at Middletown.

Rutland, Darius Chipman's cow strayed.

Mt. Holly, William D. Douglass' wife, Elizabeth, left.

Sat., 7 Nov. 1807:

Woodstock, Thomas Leverett, auditor in Treasury Dept. with Benjamin Swan, Treasurer.

Report of Treasury Department

Report of Vermont State Bank, T. Hutchinson, President.

Married this town by Issachar Reed, Esq., Walter Himes, Miss Polly ----, both of Rutland.

Hubbardton, Lewis Drury ad for new goods received.

Rutland, Isaac Gage wants journeyman shoemaker.

Reward of \$80 for counterfeiters who broke jail at Woodstock: Philander Noble, c. 30 yrs., friends at Westfield, MA; Levi Roberts, c. 23, friends at Plainfield, NH; John Niles, c. 38, lately from Stanstead, Canada where he served as apprentice to noted Stephen Burroughs; Silas Livermore, c. 55. All have been whipped and pilloried. Woodstock, William Strong, Sheriff.

Probate, Samuel Warner, Brandon, at house of John Conant.

Sat., 14 Nov. 1807: [missing]

Sat., 21 Nov. 1807:

Titles of Acts passed in last session of Legislature at Woodstock.

Act to confirm name and doings of Thomas Rice.

Altering name of Caleb Hogg to Caleb Hall [Clarendon].

Ordained at Chelsea, Rev. Calvin Noble.

Married Pittsford, 1 inst., by Adgate Lathrop, Esq., Joshua Brooks of Hebron, NY, Miss Melinda Keith of former place.

Died Boston, Samuel Hall, 67, oldest printer in that state.

Rutland, Truman Mead sells leather.

Brandon, Miner Butler and Bateman Fisk dissolve partnership as clothiers. Fisk says Seth Rogers will continue the business. Cloth can be left at Esq. Kingsley's in Sudbury and will be carried to Brandon.

Brandon, Josiah Rosseter asks people who owe him money to pay up.

Committee for building a Vermont State Prison ask for site proposals: Ezra Butler, Samuel Shaw, Josiah Wright, John Cameron, Elihu Luce.

Notice, Lydia Bacon, dau. of Philip Bacon married Suel Hoton summer 1801 or 1802 by Benajah Douglass, J.P., all of Brandon. She married Isaac Belding without getting a divorce, Belding of Benson, refuses to live in adultery and considers himself a single man.

Rutland, Timothy Merrill says his partnership with Abel Spencer dissolved.

Sat., 28 Nov. 1807:

Ordained at Charlotte, 4 inst., Rev. Truman Baldwin, Congregational Church.

Married Stockbridge, MA, 5<sup>th</sup> inst., Ely Hatch, Miss Eunice Dove, both of that town.

Married Cambridge, NY, 15 ult., Collin Gibson, ae 70, Miss Peggy Miller, 18, both of that town.

Died Cambridge, NY, 31 ult., Stillman Hull[?Huit, ?Hall], ae 20, formerly of Middletown.

Died Bristol, 15 inst., Capt. Gurdon Munsill.

Died Chelsea, Capt. Perley Chandler, 38.

Died Bridgewater, 7 inst., Asa Philips from incision he made in his neck under influence of insanity.  
Died New Marlborough, MA, David Tibbals of Norfolk, CT, went out to put horse in pasture, found dead in road next morning.  
Died Alstead, NH, 18 inst., Levi Chandler, son of John, ae 12. Set out from Walpole for home. Supposed he suffocated from a high wind. Body found on 20<sup>th</sup>.  
Died Somers, Seth Chapin, 98; seven of his brothers lived to be more than 70; five more than 80; and two are now 83 and 88.  
Died Waterbury, Deac. Gideon Hotchkiss, 91, father of 15 children, 105 grandchildren, 155 great grandchildren and four of next generation.  
Died this town, Wed. last, child of Asa Hale, two yrs.  
West Rutland, Ebenezer Griffith has European and India goods.  
Rutland, Ira Seward has brick for sale one mile south of courthouse.  
Rutland, Elias Smith asks people who owe him money to pay him. Unsettled accounts are in hands of Charles K. Williams, Esq.

Sat., 5 Dec. 1807:

Figures on debt of Federal Government.  
Drowned Clarendon near Parker's Mills on Sat. last, Franklin Page, c. 5 yrs., son of James [Paige, buried North Main Street Cemetery, Rutland].  
Married Walpole, NH, George W. Nichols, printer, Miss Ann Fessenden, youngest daughter of Rev. Thomas, all of Walpole.  
Married Richmond, 9 ult., Thomas Whitcomb, Jr., Miss Anna Stephens.  
Married Burlington, 22 ult., John C. Youngman, Mrs. Roxey Paine.  
Farm for sale in Tinmouth, by Elias Post, 105 acres, large unfinished house and barn, 40 feet square, 340 trees in orchard which yielded over 300 bushels of apples, also cherry and pear trees, currants, excellent sugar orchard, quarry of blue, white and clouded marble, best quality, from which great quantities have been taken and is inexhaustible.  
Pittsford, farm for sale by Gershom Cheney and Nathan Osgood of Rutland on Post Road, known as Stark's farm, and two lots in Philadelphia.  
Rutland, Aaron Thrall's four colts strayed or were stolen.  
Probate, Moses Gile, Mt. Holly, at house of Stephen Clark.

Sat., 12 Dec. 1807:

Middletown, Jonathan Griswold has taken up a mare.  
Masonic, Grand Royal Arch Chapter will meet for annual session at Masonic Hall, Rutland. Nichols Goddard, Grand Secretary.  
Ad for Houghton's Genuine Almanac for 1808, includes description of counterfeit bills.  
Johnston, Montgomery County, uncommonly infested with bears, 250 have been killed in eight or ten mile radius, scarcity of chestnuts and beech nuts in back part of state so move south. Panther has been in vicinity.  
Married, West Rutland, 23 ult., Ebenezer Blanchard, Miss Hannah Ewing, both of this place.  
Married Windsor, William Bailey, Miss Lucy Richmond.  
Died Windsor, CT, 26 ult., Hon. Oliver Ellsworth, Esq., 63.  
Died Boston, suddenly, Dr. Charles Jarvis, 59.  
Died Charlestown, SC, 3 ult., Michael Kalteisen, Esq., 78, commandant of Fort Johnson and Capt. in U.S. Regiment of Artillerists.  
Died Poultney, 7 ult., Enos Wells.  
Died Bennington, 24 ult., Capt. Daniel Hinman, 56.  
Drowned near Paper-Mill in Middlebury, eve of 25 ult., Mrs. Lydia Bidwell, wife of Elisha of Middlebury, ae 58. Had been to a neighbor's between 8 and 9 p.m., was returning with a candle, having to pass bridge without railings, deceived by glimmer of candle, stepped off side of bridge. Body taken up and interred on 27<sup>th</sup>.

Dec. 19 Dec. 1807:

Rutland counterfeiters appeared at Court before Hon. James Harrington, Esq.; will stand trial before Supreme Court in Feb. term. Ephraim Blanchard, Rutland; Thomas Hinds, Shrewsbury; David Stickney, Wallingford; Eliakim Rhodes, Wallingford; Heman Johnson, Pittsford; Abel Plat, Rutland.

Monument to officers of the Navy who fell at Tripoli 1804, has arrived at Boston on U.S. Frigate Constitution.

Married this town, Sun. eve last, by Rev. Ball, Capt. John Ruggles, Miss Eunice Kingsley.

Married this town, 2<sup>nd</sup> inst., Hiram Cheney, Miss Lucy Barney.

Married Bennington, 6 inst., David R. Haswell, printer, Miss Lucinda Beaman.

Married Brattleboro, Rufus Allen, printer of Pittsfield, MA, Miss Harriot Whitney, youngest dau. of late Dr. Ephraim.

Married Salisbury by Reuben Saxton, Esq., Parson Beach of Middlebury, Miss Electa Bump of Salisbury.

Married Windsor, Capt. Asahel Smith, Mrs. Betsey Spafford.

Married [?Windsor] Rufus Root, Jr., Miss Betsey Cady.

Married [?Windsor] Jabez Downs, Miss Eunice Wyllis.

Married [?Windsor] Levi Slack, Mrs. Polly Spofford.

Married Bethel, 19 ult., Solomon Dunham, Miss Experience Smith[?]

Died this town, Tues. last, Simeon Post, Jr., one day short of his 26<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Died Montpelier, William Darling.

Died Berlin, Benson Shirtliff, 77.

Died Claverack, NY, 3 inst., Gen. Samuel B. Webb in 52<sup>nd</sup> yr.

Died Pittsburgh, PA, Hon. Alexander Addison, late president of Court of Common Pleas.

Died London, at advanced age, Sir Brook Watson, commissary general of British Army during nearly whole of Revolutionary War.

Henry V. Shaw appointed aide-de-camp for Caleb Hendee, Jr., Brigadier General of 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division, VT militia.

Rutland, Eleazer Wheelock asks those indebted to him for newspapers to pay up.

Tinmouth, Jeremiah Downey in 13th yr. of his age, indentured servant boy ran away from Allen Waldow, Charlotte, John McNeil, Jr., had horse stolen, thief called himself James Livingston.

Sat., 26 Dec. 1807:

3 Dec., Portsmouth, NH, on Sun. night last at Exeter, an acre and a half of land belonging to Mr. Lyford near the roundabouts that sunk 25 feet.

First Medical Society of Vermont to meet at Rutland, J. Cleveland, Secretary.

Rutland, all notes and accounts of Abel Spencer, Esq. are left with Charles K. Williams for collection.

Pittsford, Nathan Jenner is closing his business in this part of the country.

Rutland, Amos Weller says all persons indebted to him for sawing are to call at John Reynolds' Mills and settle accounts.

Sat., 2 Jan. 1808: [missing]

Sat., 9 Jan. 1808:

Rutland, John Prentiss sells NY lands.

Pittsford, Nathan Jenner's wife, Betsey, refuses doing duty of wife.

Brandon, Simeon Wright froze to death night of 1 inst.

Married this town, Sullivan Ewings, Miss Harriot Tuttle.

Officers named for Grand Royal Arch Chapter of State of Vermont, Masons.

Rutland County Court, James M'Daniell of Danby, administrator of estate of late Thomas M'Daniell, late of Danby vs. Isaiah Bull.

Rutland, Thomas Dunning has new line of stages, Rutland-Boston.

Rutland, people asked to pay up who owe Amos Weller for sawing at John Reynolds' Mills.

Tinmouth, Elias Post advertises farm for sale, 105 acres, large unfinished house and barn, orchard, quarry of blue, white and clouded marble of the best quality from which great quantities have been taken, appears inexhaustible.

Sat., 16 Jan. 1808:

Supreme Court at St. Albans, Franklin Co., 3 Jan., 14-15 bills for counterfeiting and passing counterfeit bills; four were tried, three found guilty. Silas Whitney to receive 39 stripes, stand in pillory one hour, \$300.00, confined to hard labor five years.

This town, Timothy Blanchard and Benjamin Stearns bound over by court of inquiry in role of counterfeiting.

Married Addison, 20 ult., by Cyrus Strong, Esq., Abel Kimball of Crownpoint, NY to Miss[?] Lucy Derby[?] of former place.

Married Addison, 18 inst., by Elder E. Chamberlain, Hooker Bartlet, Miss Hannah Baldwin of Bridport. First Medical Society of State of Vermont officers. Dr. Nathan --?-- of Manchester admitted to Society, Augustus Mulford approved for practice of Physic.

Probate, Sampson Spalding, Orwell.

Rutland, Eli Ripley wants journeyman house joiner.

Sat., 23 Jan. 1808:

Masonic, Center Lodge No. 6 at Rutland expelled Abel Spencer, Esq. James Porter, Secretary.

Sat., 30 Jan. 1808:

Ordained, New Salem, MS[MA], Rev. Alpheus Harding over Congregational Church.

Installed Brunswick, ME, 23 ult., Rev. James Appelton, as President of Bowdoin College.

Married New Haven, CT, Rev. Calvin Noble of Chelsea, VT, Miss Sophia Thompson, formerly of Chelsea.

Married Hardwick, Daniel Weld of Berkshire, Miss Lydia Fuller of former place.

Married Plymouth, Bela Pratt, Miss Charlotte Olds, both of Shrewsbury.

Castleton, Elijah Remington has boards for sale at Castleton Mill.

Probate, Arba Green, Brandon.

Clarendon Furnace in blast, Wait Rathbun.

Sat., 6 Feb., 1808:

Probate, Ichabod Shaw, Tinmouth, at dwelling of Benjamin Shaw.

Westhaven, Daniel Kinyon, Jr.'s wife, Susanna, left.

Philadelphia [now part of Chittenden], Asahel Hawley says wife has been induced to abuse my family.

Castleton, David Palmer says Asa O. Ives of Wallingford is a liar and villain.

Died this town, morn 2 inst., Mrs. Judith Cheeney, wife of Benjamin, 76.

Died Middletown, 3 inst., Mr. ----- Barsley, son of Mr. Cyrus Barsley, ae 16.

Died Williston, 17 ult., Dr. Cardel Parker, ae 71.

Died Burlington, 20 ult., Paul Dodge, Esq., 29.

Married this village, Tues. eve last, by Rev. Ball, Thomas Dunning, Miss Altha Tuttle.

Married Cavendish, Simeon Witherell, Mrs. Fanny Tozer.

Married, Cavendish, William Felch of Reading, Miss Sally Wilkins of Cavendish.

Married Middlebury, 24 ult., Justin Sturdevant of Weybridge, Miss Hannah Martin of former place.

Married Burlington, 16 ult., Luther Moore[?], Miss Olive Stanton.

Sat., 13 Feb. 1808:

Masonic, Center Lodge 6 at Rutland expelled Ephraim Blanchard. James Porter, Secretary.

Supreme Court at Rutland, four convictions for counterfeiting and one misdemeanor, William Remington, stand in pillory one hour, 39 stripes on naked back, seven years hard labor in prison, \$500 fine; David Stickney, same sentence; Benjamin Stearns, same except prison for four years and \$10 fine; Abel Platt, 39 stripes, \$10 fine. Bound over and obtained bail: Ephraim Blanchard, Timothy Blanchard, Thomas Hindes, Heman Johnson, Eliakin Rhodes.

Clarendon, Letter signed Yours, William Weeks. Silas W. Hodges. [Probably to Silas Hodges from William Weeks.] Says he got command of company as captain illegally, swelled the ranks by admitting men who did not belong to said company, boys under 18, one cripple, one boy without common sense.

Hon. Brig. Gen. Caleb Hendee, present at election, called upon Col. Nathan Crary, Col. of Regiment to aid

in election. Crary keeps a tavern within the beat of the Company. 12 Sept. last, only 34 voters in company, 60 votes taken for captain. Solomon Pillsbury, a dependent enrolled to aid your election. Pair of M'Caulies from Mt. Holly in company. Pillsbury complained in Court of inquiry he was compelled against will to vote for you. Did not this great man, your volunteer recruiting officer, assist, with his influence, T. Spencer to jump in office over your brother? Last Freeman's election mentions representing town of Clarendon. Also electioneering powers of former Capt. Briggs. He recruited man that will be 47 years old next April. Story: Will Green bought a bitch and went to brother's for dinner. Brother asked the blessing at dinner. Hungry animal leaped on table and grabbed the pudding. Damn bitch, said Will and seizing her by neck and roared out, I will learn you to wait until pudding is blessed. Poor animal choking in hysterical fits and became more civil. You have, sir, pudding and a whistle, but may have purchased too dearly.

Clarendon, Dexter G. Sprague, Zephaniah Eddy, Durham Sprague dissolve partnership.

Sat., 20 Feb. 1808:

Married Middletown, 31 ult., Elisha Hebard, Miss Abby Owen.

Married Middletown, 10 inst., Mr. ----- Grenell, Miss Lucinda Rudd.

Died this village, Thurs. last, Miss Betsey Titus, by taking White Arsenic which she procured by sending a neighboring boy to an Apothecary directing him to procure it for his mother.

Died this village, on Fri., Mrs. Electa Webber, ae 32, wife of Capt. Christopher Webber.

Burlington, Eli Hamilton of Jericho indicted by Supreme Court for blasphemy—long.

Rutland, Joel Hunter opens hat factory nearly opposite printing office.

Sat., 27 Feb. 1808:

Philadelphia [now part of Chittenden], W.H. Keeler lost notes.

Rutland, William Page, Jr., ad for sale, Jeremiah Powers farm in Rutland on south line of Pittsford, and one occupied by Capt. Osgood, 20 acres.

Married Vergennes, 16 inst., Joseph Finten of Norwich, NY, Miss Sally Brush of former place.

Married Potsdam, NY, Luther Sawin, Miss Polly Fuller.

Divorce petition, Ruana Husted of Newhaven, Addison Co., vs. James Husted; married 11 Nov. 1804 at Newhaven. On 5 Sept. 1805 he committed adultery at Newhaven, has left for parts unknown.

Sat., 5 Mar. 1808:

To appear at Court in Woodstock for counterfeiting traffic: Isaac Chandler of Reading, arrested 14 ult. with Elijah Spear, Timothy Wyman, Amos W. Dix, Charles Witherbee.

Married this town, Sun. eve last, by Benj. Farmer, Esq., Albert Stewart, Miss Sibil Bradith[Bradish].

Married Sheldon, 23 ult., Mr. ----- Leonard, Miss Polly Spencer.

Died Rutland, 18 Feb. last, suddenly, Deac. John Johnson, 73<sup>rd</sup> yr., etc.

Died Clarendon, Wed. last, Daniel Marsh, Esq.

Died this town, Sun. last, Phineas Rowley Thrall, one year, four months, son of Capt. Chauncey Thrall. Pittsford, Joseph Breck at hatter's stand he purchased from Daniel Warren a few rods south of Meeting House.

Rutland, Eleazer Wheelock and Thomas Dunning running stage, Rutland-Burlington, intersects Rutland-Boston. Also have line Burlington to St. Albans and Swanton falls. Makes complete route Burlington to Boston.

Rutland, Ephraim Blanchard expelled from the Masons.

Sat., 12 Mar. 1808:

Died this town Wed. last, Mrs. Osgood, wife of Capt. David.

Died this town, Mon. last, Hector Monday, man of color.

Died Clarendon, 2<sup>nd</sup> inst., Widow Mary Westcott, 97.

Sat., 19 Mar. 1808:

Probate, Simeon Wright, Brandon, at Widow Sophia's.

Married Shoreham since beginning of year: Ambel Catlin, Miss Sylvia Leonard; Asa Hutchinson, Miss Christiana Churchell; Erastus Blinn, Miss Betsey Wilson; Bela Bayley, Miss Betsey Rich; David Barnum, Miss Betsey Jones; Jonathan Hines, Miss Elenor Jones; Ira Smith, Miss Lucy Russell; John Powers, Miss Betsey Rich; Barnabus Morse, Widow Olive Cooper; Mr. ----- M'Fadding, Miss Sally Stockwell; Daniel Fenn, Miss Hulda Rowlee; Hial Gates, Miss Nabby Wright; William Hunt, Mr.[sic] Nabby L. Page; James Moore, Miss Laura Hubbard.

Drown in river, St. Johns, 7 inst., Dr. William Bostwick of Burlington, 34. Returning from Montreal with loaded sleigh with Daniel W. Johnson of Burlington, 1½ mile from St. Johns, horses broke through ice, they went into river. Johnson got back on ice. Bostwick sank immediately, body found next day.

Survived by widow and three children.

Died Westhaven, VT, 4 Mar. inst., Silas Gates in 19<sup>th</sup> yr., wounded while sliding on a flake[?stake?] as he was getting off a load of hay he was moving for Mr. Rossman[Roffman—f is made like s] for whom he labored. Survived a few days. He was a stranger to this place. Originated from Westminster, VT, but had friends in NY State.

Died Middletown, 11 inst., Miss Sally Smith.

Died Shrewsbury, 3 inst., Mrs. Deborah Pratt, 59, wife of Benjamin.

Died Reading, 8 inst., Miss Eunice Graham, 54.

Bennington, Supreme Court, Sylvester Glen indicted for stealing horse. Sentence: whipped 69 stripes, \$10 fine, jail eight years, sent to NY to answer to warrants there.

Suicide, 25 ult., Ezekiel Dodge Wheeler, Deputy Sheriff of Barre, Orange Co., slit his throat, etc., item from Randolph paper.

Rutland, Nathan Pratt, Jr., farm for sale, two miles north of Courthouse, 150 acres, house, three barns, orchard.

Tinmouth Furnace, Wait Rathbun.

Sat., 26 Mar. 1808:

Probate, Cyrus Maynard, Westhaven at house of Amos Maynard.

Middletown, 9 Mar., Wed. last, 51 ladies prepared a tea for Mrs. Bigelow and presented her with 110 runs of yarn. [She's the minister's wife.]

Hubbardton, farm for sale on East Street, c. 200 rods south of Meeting house, 84 acres, house 28x38, barn, cheese house, etc., orchard; inquire of William Hall of Rutland or Stephen W. Dana.

Rutland, new store of Capt. Abial Washburn, formerly John Smith's.

Sat., 2 Apr. 1808:

Probate, Capt. William Fuller, Wallingford, Widow Mary.

Married this town, 11 ult., William Gilmore, Miss Polly Chatterton.

Married this town, 24 ult., Leonard Greno, Miss Clarissa Manley.

Married this town, 27 ult., John Ramsdell, Miss Polly Himes.

Died Pittsford, 25 ult., typhus fever, Mrs. Wealthy Kingsley, 26, wife of Joshua, member Congregational Church, survived by husband and three babes.

Died Middletown, 27 ult., son of Philo Stoddard, ae 10. Day before was sent to mill, fell from his horse on way back. About 11 o'clock search made along street, father passed within 12 feet of him twice. Found next morning about one mile from home, taken to adjacent house, convulsions and senseless. Expired about 10 o'clock A.M.

Died this town, sometime last week, wife Mrs. ----- Hall, wife of Abner.

Died this town, Wed. last, Samantha Thrall, 23 mos., child of Jesse.

Died Castleton, 11 Feb. last, Mrs. Abigail Northrop, wife of Lt. Ira, 32<sup>nd</sup> hear, survived by husband and three small children.

Military orders, Eli Cogswell, General of 2<sup>nd</sup> Division of VT Militia, says William Douglass Smith appointed aide-de-camp to the Major General.

Probate, Stephen Colvin, Danby, at house of Henry Herrick, Jr.

Sat., 9 Apr. 1808:

Rutland, William Shaw contracted to carry mail through Ira-Middletown-Pawlet to Albany.

Divorce petition, Judith Severns of Poultney vs. Steven Severns; married 6 Apr. 1800, Poultney; Oct. 1804, endangered her life, left Oct., deserted her.

Suicide, Plattsburg, George W. Platt, Esq., cut his throat with razor.

Hubbardton, Timothy Wood, 17, ran away from Daniel Wood.

Rutland, Nathaniel Cornell sells farm half mile west of Courthouse, new two story dwelling, 165 acres on East Creek.

Castleton, Seth Branch, for sale, Sawmill and 36 acres.

Sat., 16 Apr. 1808:

Rutland, Daniel Brit Gill, c. 17, apprentice, ran away from Nathaniel Paige.

Brandon, Benjamin Hulburd will not pay Almond Hulburd's debts.

Masonic, Cement[sic] Lodge No. 19 at Benson, Ezra K. Knapp expelled.

Probate, Daniel Marsh, Esq., Clarendon, Widow Phoebe.

Divorce petition, Hulda Perry of Rutland vs. Jonas Perry; married 3 Mar. 1801, he late of Elizabethtown, NY, left her over three years ago.

List of letters at Rutland Post Office: **Rutland**, John Anthony; **Shrewsbury**, Widow Abier Andres; **Rutland**, Mr. Barnes; **Pittsford**, Enos Bailey; **Mt. Holly**, Nathaniel D. Barnes; **Shrewsbury**, Silas Beverstock; **Chittenden**, John Bancroft, John Baird, Jr.; **Middletown**, Elijah Babcock, Widow Eunice Benedict; **Ira**, Elias Bates; **Pittsford**, John Barnes; **Rutland**, Ethiel Cushman; **Ira**, John Collins; **Clarendon**, Levi Colvin; **Rutland**, John Daniels, Thaddeus Duncklee; **Chittenden**, Jonathan Dike, Oril Dike; **Pittsfield**, William Davenport; **Rutland**, Prentiss Farrar, Nathan Freeman, Cheever Felch; **Pittsford**, Ephraim Farrar; **Clarendon**, Lucy Foster; **Middletown**, Ethni Filmore; **Mt. Holly**, John Foot; **Rutland**, Robbert Gilmore; **Ira**, Simeon Guilford; **Pittsford**, Nathan Gibbs; **Shrewsbury**, Stephen Gleason; **Rutland**, John Howe; **Vermont**, Daniel Hills[?]; **Clarendon**, Freeman Hicks, Erastus Hill, Jr.; **Pittsford**, William Hay; **Middletown**, Abbey Hibbard; **Chittenden**, Samuel Harrison; **Ira**, Daniel Hunter; **Pittsford**, Amos Jones, Jr.; **Shrewsbury**, William King; **Clarendon**, Jesse King; **Ira**, Salmon Kingsley; **Rutland**, Garrit Lawrence, Lusana Lawrence, Zenas Lewis, Luther Leet, Daniel P. Morse; **Plymouth**, David Moon; **Ira**, John Macrery; **Pittsford**, Abiather Millerd, Jesse Millerd, Josiah Pearson; **Clarendon**, Abner Perry; **Rutland**, Samuel Randal; **Mt. Holly**, Snow Randal; **Pittsford**, Samuel Rawson; **Ira**, Zilpha Smith, Nathaniel Sherwood; **Clarendon**, Pearce Spencer; **Shrewsbury**, Jonas Shurtliff; **Rutland**, Samuel Tilson; **Ira**, Matthew Taylor; **Clarendon**, Josias Tanner, Richard Tilleson; **Middletown**, John Torrance; **Pittsford**, Timothy Taft, James Todder; **Plymouth**, Jacob Wilder; **Ira**, Asa Warner, Omri Warner, Freelove Waterman; **Castleton**, Arba Warshburn; **Shrewsbury**, Abigail Webber; **Mt. Holly**, Thomas White; **Pittsford**, Jacob Wills; **Clarendon**, Benjamin Whitney.

Sat., 23 Apr. 1808:

Randolph paper, Mon. last, Anna, dau. of Jacob Cobb of this town, arose from bed, walked to fire, fainted and fell into fire, overturned kettle of boiling syrup on her; died Thurs., ae 17.

Windsor, NH, 22 Mar. last, body of Simeon Buck found with hank of yarn around neck and fastened to tree. Suicide, survived by widow and eight children.

Died Weybridge, 7 inst., Isaac Stow, son of Clark, 17<sup>th</sup> yr. Left home in A.M. with brother to draw logs into Creek, were rafting on creek. He suddenly jumped ashore, supposed to have had a fit.

Sat., 30 Apr. 1808:

Married Shoreham, 25 inst., Frederick Miller of that place, Miss Mineva[sic] Day of Cornwall.

Died Hartford, NY, 24 inst., Miss Chloe Harris, late of this town, ae 22.

Died Canton, NY, 22 ult., Miss Pamela Conkey, 18, poem.

Died Canton, NY, 31<sup>st</sup> ult., Miss Isibel Conkey, 16, daus. of Joshua.

Died Waterford, OH, 25 Feb. last, Josiah Hart, Jr., 32, son of Josiah Hart of this town.

Died Addison, Tues., 12 inst., Samuel Pond, 68.

Died this town, Thurs. night last, of Hooping[sic] Cough, a child of Pearson Freeman, c. 2y 4m.

Sat., 7 May 1808:

3 May 1808, Middletown on 6<sup>th</sup> ult., 65 ladies presented to family of Rev. Sylvanus Haynes, 150 runs of linning[sic] and tow yarn, etc.  
Sutton, MA, 25 Mar., man grinding scythes on large stone at Deac. Elijah Waters' iron works. Stone broke, fragment weighing 439 pounds hit man in head and killed him.  
Drowned Pawlet, 2[?] Apr. last, dau. of Ephraim Fitch, Esq., ae 3y.  
Suicide, Canton, NY, 9 ult., Henry Slater cut his throat.  
Married Woodstock, Jonathan Kingsley, Miss Hannah Richardson.  
Married Cavendish, William Gordon, Miss Almira Garey.  
Died Strafford, 18 ult., Dr. Levi Root, Jr., 36.  
Died Vergennes, 29 ult., Miss Lydia Brown, 21.  
Died Hinesburgh, 24 ult., Capt. Isaac[?] Bostwick, 78.  
Died Cornwall, 30 ult., Mrs. Rebecca Clark, 106 yrs. She saw fifth generation of her family. Her posterity supposed to be between two and three thousand.  
Died Boston, 21 ult., Maj. James Henderson Elliot, 26<sup>th</sup> yr., only son of Maj. Gen. Simon[?] Elliot.  
Rutland, printing office to next door north, W. Fay.  
Rutland, Medad Sheldon wants journeyman blacksmith.

Sat., 14 May 1808:

Post offices have been recently established at Ira (Daniel Graves, P.M.), Middletown (James Ives, P.M.) and Mt. Holly (Oliver Garnzey[Guernsey], P.M.).  
Installed Newbury, NH, Rev. James Miltimore.  
Married Brattleboro, 24 ult., Thomas Williams, Jr., Esq. of Roxbury, Mrs. Frances Allen.  
Married Hartford, Samuel Horr, Miss Eunice Wood.  
Died Pittsford, 2<sup>nd</sup> inst., long illness, Mrs. Abigail Hitchcock, wife of John.  
Died Woodstock, Ezra Sylvester, 45.  
Died Walpole, 17 inst., Dr. Francis Kittridge, 80.  
Died Chester, Mrs. Joanna, consort of Isaac Tarbell.  
Wallingford, Thomas Mighell's wife, Ruth, left him, Sept. 1806.  
Clarendon, Samuel Kendall ad, stud horse, young, Swiftsure, at Jon. Parker's in Clarendon, \$1.67 per leap, \$2.67 for season.  
Masonic Cement Lodge 19 at St. Albans expelled James S. Allen. Roswell Hutchins, Secretary.  
Freshet at Norwich, VT.

Sat., 21 May 1808:

Ordained NY in African Church, William Miller, a Colored man.  
Married Liberty-Town, MD, Capt. Alexander C. Harrison of U.S. Army, Miss Catharine Owens.  
Died this town on 14 inst., child of Ethiel Cushman.

Sat., 28 May 1808:

Married Claremont [?Clarendon], H. Redfield, Miss Sophia Cook.  
Married Claremont [?Clarendon], Mr. Dustin, Miss Trithania More  
Married Fair Haven, 15 inst., Giles Hard of Salisbury, Miss Lurena Orton of former.  
Died this town, 20 inst., Richard Lilly, 47.  
Died this town, 26<sup>th</sup>, Miss Polly Haskin, 20.  
Died this town, 9<sup>th</sup>, child of Walter Blanchard, c. 3 yrs.  
Died this town, 10<sup>th</sup> inst., child of Philo Curtiss.  
Died Orwell, 16 inst., David Fisk, 64.  
Died Ferrisburgh, 13 inst., Hon. Abel Thomson, Esq., 61.  
Died Philadelphia [Chittenden], VT, 18 inst., Mrs. Lucina, wife of John Clark; funeral on 19<sup>th</sup> by Rev. Hibbard, etc.  
Rutland, escaped from gaol: David Stickney, c. 35; William Remington, c. 33; Benjamin Stearns, c. 30; Jesse Homer, c. 23, physical description of each. William Rand, gaoler.

Sat., 4 June 1808:

Detachment of 150 militia from 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade marched from this vicinity on Tuesday last to put a stop to disgraceful Potash and Lumber Rebellion on Lake Champlain.

Brattleboro paper, 6 ult., house of Jonathan Stone of Somerset burned while family was absent.

Divorce petition, Deborah Bowman of Rutland vs. Oliver Bowman, married 3 Jan. 1800, he then of Barnard, VT, left her Apr. 1801.

Masonic, George Washington Lodge at Chelsea expelled Joseph Farrar, late of Cavendish.

Hartland, Warren Lull of Hartland escaped, was under arrest for theft.

Sat., 11 June 1808:

2 June, St. Albans, Capt. Hopkins stationed at Windmill Point and company of soldiers on Sun., and Lt. Whitemore on Mon., each took a batteaux loaded with potash. Some of the potash belonged to people in Middlebury.

Baggage wagons that went to Swanton with troops from this vicinity under Maj. Williams have returned, all troops arrived in good health except one Stevens who returned home.

Ordained Orwell, 1 inst., Rev. Mason Naping [Knappen].

Married Fairfield, Capt. Joab Smith, Widow Merrill.

Married Fairfield, Isaac Smith, Widow Sherwood.

Married Sheldon, Moses Kimball, Miss Sawyer.

Married Fairhaven, 15 ult., Giles Hard of Salisbury, Miss Laurena Orton of former place.

Married Manchester, England, James South, Miss North.

Married Washington, VA, George Hudson, Miss Seraphina Maria Caroline Matilda Juliana Sophia Ann Mansfield.

Married Sudbury, 24 ult., Rev. Jonathan Hovey of Weybridge, Miss Clarissa Parsons, dau. of Rev. Silas Parsons.

Married Orwell, 12 ult., John Monger, Esq., Mrs. Rachael Austin of Cambridge.

Died New Haven, 27 ult., Rufus Eno.

Died Ferrisburgh, 23 ult., Miss Hannah Hawley, ae 15, severe illness of 12 days.

Died Charlotte, 14 ult., Ephraim Worster, 45.

Died this town Tues. last, Miss Sally Spafford, ae c. 10 y.

Died Pittsford, 2 May, long illness, 5 yrs. 8 mos., Mrs. Abigail, wife of John Hitchcock. Rev. Weeks preached at funeral. Very long poem.

Drowned Weybridge, 28, ult., Ama Reynolds in 11<sup>th</sup> yr., dau. of Silas. Also Clark Reynolds, 8<sup>th</sup> yr., son of James.

Sat., 18 June 1808:

Masonic, Washington Lodge, the 2<sup>nd</sup>, No. 21 at Brandon, expelled Oliver C. Stewart.

West Clarendon, Daniel S. Ewing says the carding machine formerly carried on by Fish, Edmonds, Beals is repaired with new card for carding wool.

Drowned Wallingford, Thurs. last, in a spring near the house, a child of Ezekiel White, c. 2 yrs.

Died Clarendon, Thurs. last, Jonathan Parker, Esq. in 69<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died this town, Mon. last, suddenly, Asenath Wheeler, ae 12, dau. of Obadiah.

An account of Baptism of Green Mountain by Rev. Samuel A. Peters, Bishop elect of State of Vermont, on Mt. Pisgah Oct. 1768, afterwards stayed overnight in log house of Mr. Otley.

Sat., 25 June 1808:

Fourth of July will be celebrated at Capt. Nathan Finney's at Shrewsbury, orations will be given by A. Clark of Grenville and W.D. Smith of Rutland, Esquires. Accommodations can be had at houses of Capt. Finney's and Esq. Barney's.

Editorial on embargo by "Old Rifle" [Clark] who had stayed at Henry Gould's Tavern in Rutland.

Freshet, on Fri. and Sat., Otter Creek rose so high at Gookin's Falls [Center Rutland] that it changed its course for a number of rods and swept away tanworks, shop and hides, vats, etc. owned by Truman Mead, an industrious young man. Banks worn away upwards of 30 feet. New course passed over highway near

the bridge causing \$300-\$400 damage. Mr. Gookin's loss is considerable. Capt. Samuel L. Miner of Castleton lost his mill-dam and gristmills. Bridges torn away and roads damaged in Middletown, Ira and Clarendon. All bridges between Middletown and Poultney gone.

Married this town, Benjamin Loveridge, Miss Mahitabel Leach after a courtship of a whole day.

Windsor, Vt. Masonic Lodge No. 1[?] expelled Zebulon Fitch of Claremont.

Chelsea, George Washington Lodge expelled Joseph Farrar, late of Chelsea, from Masons.

Rutland, list of new books at W. Fay's store.

Hartland, VT, Warren Lull is under arrest for theft. William Sweetser and Charles Smith offer \$50 reward for his apprehension.

West Clarendon, Daniel S. Ewing has carding machine, formerly Fish, Edmonds & Beals.

Rutland, William Gookin & Co. remove carding machines to sawmill adjoining their former stand.

Rutland, Joel Hunter opens hat manufactory nearly opposite the printing office.

Rutland, John Prentiss has a new genteel chaise and silver-plated harness for sale.

Sat., 2 July 1808:

Died this town since our last, a child of John Wyley.

Probate, Dr. David Church, Poultney.

Rutland, Captain of Artillery Nathan Estabrook. A Company of Artillery is to be raised in Vermont in conformity with U.S. law; \$12 bounty.

Masonic, VT Lodge No. 1 at Windsor expelled Zebediah Fitch of Claremont, NH.

List of letters at Rutland Post Office: **Rutland**, Timothy Adams, Abraham Anthony; **Middletown**, Moses Avery; **Rutland**, Ebenezer Brooks, William Baker; **Tinmouth**, Edward Bishop; **Shrewsbury**, Edward Beverstock; **Rutland**, Isaac Chatterton, Samuel Campbell, Jr., Aaron Cook, Benjamin Capron; **Chittenden**, Daniel Carpenter; **Mt. Holly**, Samuel Cook; **Pittsford**, Bartlett B. Clark; **Rutland**, Rufus Deland, Rev. Jordan Dodge, Henry Downs; **Hubbardton**, Lewis Drury, Frederick Dikeman; **Pittsford**, John Dominick; **Tinmouth**, Martin D. Daniels; **Mt. Holly**, Nathan Doolittle, Elijah Davenport; **Chittenden**, Benjamin Ellis; **Sherburne**, Elisha Esterbrook; **Rutland**, William Fay, John Fletcher; **Mt. Holly**, Stephen Fletcher; **Parkerstown**, Benjamin Farmer; **Clarendon**, John Forbes; **Rutland**, Robert Gillmore, Asa Graves, Daniel Gates; **Mt. Holly**, Charles H. Grant; **Pittsford**, William Gates; **Rutland**, William Hall, Abel Holbrook, Oliver Harmon, Elisha Himes, William Heartwell, Amasa Howe, Asa Hale; **Ira**, James Hicock, John Hitchcock, Daniel Hunter; **Sudbury**, Betsy Hyde; **Clarendon**, Christopher Howard; **Ira**, David D. Johnson; **Rutland**, Stephen Joiner; **Ira**, Chauncy King; **Pittsford**, Amos Kellogg; **Rutland**, Levi Long, Garrit Lawrence; **Danby**, Eli Learned; **Rutland**, Bettey Moulthrop, Polly Manly, Abner Mead, Joseph Morey; **Middletown**, Samuel M'Cluer, Jonathan Morgan; **Rutland**, Joseph M. Ormsby; **Pittsford**, Isaac Osborne; **Rutland**, Abel Phelps, Jacob Page, President of Society of Cincinnati; **Mt. Holly**, Benjamin Parker, Stephen Phillips, Asa Proctor; **Shrewsbury**, Benjamin Pratt, Samuel Priest; **Pittsford**, Jeremiah Powers; **Rutland**, John Ruggles; **Shrewsbury**, Ephraim Richardson; **Rutland**, Henry Strong, Solomon Smith; **Ira**, Zilpha Smith; **Shrewsbury**, Nathan Smith; **Clarendon**, Abigail Stratton, John Saunderson; **Rutland**, David Tuttle, Aaron Thrall, Jesse Thrall, Moses Watkins, Caleb Whipple, Daniel Wright, Mr. Wheelock, Ezra Winslow; **Tinmouth**, Joseph Waite, Bulah Waldo; **Clarendon**, Ezekiel Westcot, Samuel Whidicor; **Chittenden**, Jonas Wheeler; **Ira**, Nathaniel Wilmot; **Shrewsbury**, John Willoby; **Mt. Holly**, Hervey White; **Pittsford**, Elisha Woodruff, Lemuel Whitmore, Lyman Walker.

Sat., 9 July 1808:

Masonic, Olive Branch Lodge No. 11 at Chester, expelled Joseph Axtell.

Albany, 21 June, at house raising in Stephentown [NY] last week, five men instantly killed and 14 badly wounded. Two boys scuffling in sport; one flung the other, which dislocated his neck and killed him instantly. Boy's brother ran to tell father who was guarding foot of a post of the bent of building being raised. Father forgot and left his post; bent fell and killed men.

Fourth of July celebration at Castleton.

Drowned 27 ult., in Deerfield River, Master Stephen R. Bradley, son of S.R. Bradley of Westminster, VT, ae 10. Member of Deerfield Academy, etc.

Drowned in Connecticut River opposite Hartford, a son of John G. Davis, ae 10 [*Greenfield Gazette*].

Died Middletown, Thurs., 30 ult., Putnam F. Locke in 17<sup>th</sup> yr., belonging to family of Capt. Daniel Graves of Ira; died suddenly of dropsy. Enjoyed writing essays and reading. At 13 he wrote a number of short sermons that were published at this office. His essays may be published by his friends. Essay written when he was 11 is included in this obit.

Died this town, Thurs. last, of typhus fever, Samuel Griffith, 21, son of Micah. Had just undertaken studies of law with Charles K. Williams, Esq.

Rutland, J.D. Butler sells scythes at old brick store.

Sat., 16 July 1808:

Pittsford, Jesse Call's wife, Sally, left.

Married this village, Mon. eve last, Capt. Joseph Woodard of Leicester, Mrs. Betsey McCaal [McCarter] of the former place.

Sat., 23 July 1808:

Fourth of July celebration at Shoreham, long. Also Middlebury and Sherburne at Esq. Fuller's.

Clarendon, 4<sup>th</sup> of July celebration honored Col. [Joseph] Waite of NH who fought by side of Montgomery at Quebec in Revolutionary War. On his return died at Clarendon and remains deposited in the intervals of the late Jonathan Parker, Esq. On morn of 4<sup>th</sup>, large number of people gathered at late Jonathan Parker's public house now operated by Robert Wilbur. Officer of the Day, Moses Chaplin, Aid, Rufus Parker, both in uniform and mounted. Lt. Eleazer Flagg commanded artillery. Procession proceeded with a statue of marble honorary to his grave in the grove near the tomb of the late Jonathan Parker, Esq. [Parker's remains moved to East Clarendon Cemetery after it opened.] Hon. Isaac Clark gave eulogy and biographical sketch of Waite. Rev. Kendrick gave prayer. Statue erected under discharge of minute guns. Then repaired to bowery where Mr. Wilbur had prepared a repast. Toasts were announced by discharge of ordnance.

Religious awakening at Pittsford and Chittenden. Forty people converted in Pittsford.

Rutland, Truman Mead thanks people who have shown him kindness in consequence of his misfortune sustained by the late freshet.

Married Middletown, 6 inst., by Rev. Haynes, John Farnham of Poultney, Miss Lavia [sic] of Middletown.

Married Sheldon, 10 inst., Francis Buckin of Herkimer, NY, Miss Rhoda Parker of Clarendon.

Died Middletown, 10 July 1808, Deac. Caleb Smith, 59<sup>th</sup> yr., long and painful illness. Survived by widow and eight children.

Died Dedham, MA, 4 inst., Hon. Fisher Ames.

Died Albany, Sun., 10<sup>th</sup>, John Barber, proprietor of *Albany Register*.

Died Burlington, 1 inst., Seth Ford, Esq., 51.

Died Burlington, 8<sup>th</sup>, Peter Van Ness, oldest son of C.P. Van Ness, three yrs.

Probate, Richard Lilly, Rutland.

Probate, James Fuller, Benson.

Middlebury, James Prescott, c. 18, apprentice in printing business; parents live at Maloan[sic] NY, ran away from Joseph D. Huntington, guardian and master to said minor.

Sat., 30 July 1808: [Our gratitude to Thomas Ford of Houghton Library, Harvard University, for checking this issue. He found no vitals or new information.]

Sat., 6 Aug. 1808:

Nathan Rumsey, Esq., asks for proposals for 400 page book on his travels (1799-1808) in the western and southern parts of U.S. in Indiana and Mississippi Territories and the Louisianas. Exhibiting a view of those parts of this country of the Mississippi from its mouth to its source and of the Missouri to the Mexican or Shining Mountains, of soil, climate, mines, minerals, fossil salt and curiosities, natural and artificial, ancient and modern there discovered. Volume will cost \$1.25 or \$1.50 if he can have a map engraved.

Transmit proposals to *Rutland Herald* by 1 Nov. next. Wants to have it published by 1 Jan. next. [Nathan Rumsey was formerly of Hubbardton; is said to have accompanied Rogers and Clark on their expedition, but there is no indication of this in his proposal. Later served in War of 1812; was taken prisoner by the British and died in Canada.]

Probate, Jonathan Parker, Esq., Clarendon, Widow Hannah.

Probate Water[sic] Taber, Mt. Taber.

Sat., 13 Aug. 1808:

Pittsford, Daniel Pierce's son, Daniel, has behaved in unbecoming manner and has absented himself from his father's house. Father will not pay his debts.

Mt. Holly, Clement Clark of Mt. Holly asks Levi Clark, late of Mt. Holly to return to his friends. His only son died last week. The cause of his absenting himself being fully substantiated, so that a bill of divorce can be unquestionably obtained, he may therefore visit his friends in safety.

Deaths of Elias Drake, Asa Marsh and Jonathan Ormsby, same as in *Vermont Courier*.

Died this town, Sun. last, Miss Lucy Post, ae 15, dau. of Simeon.

Died Chittenden, 18 ult., of a consumption, Polly Haven, wife of Moses, 25, wanting a day.

Sat., 20 Aug. 1808:

Burlington, Samuel Mott, ring leader of the crew that murdered our citizens (Drake, Marsh and Ormsby) was arrested in Canada.

West Haven, Jehiel Hard, indentured boy, 14 years old, 8<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. last, ran away from Samuel Francis.

Sat., 27 Aug. 1808:

Mt. Holly, Isaac Loomis' wife, Lyndia [sic], has left.

Counterfeeters taken by Abijah Stone, Esq. of this town [probably St. Albans] and Lt. Hubbard at Randolph. They were Amos Wheeler, Jesse Homer of Boston and Dudley C. Merrill of Lower Canada. Homer was same man committed to jail in Rutland some months past, but broke out.

Salem, Washington Co., Thomas Qua executed in that town on 9 inst. for murdering his wife.

Sat., 3 Sept. 1808:

Samuel Shaw of Castleton tells of all the problems and deceit in finding location of a prison. It was erected in Windsor. Prison, now building, will be 80x40 and three stories high; built of stone or brick.

Much more on deaths of Drake, Marsh and Ormsby.

Rutland, long patriotic letter from Wait Chatterton.

Sat., 10 Sept. 1808:

West Clarendon, Daniel S. Ewing and Co. has erected a fulling mill at their carding machines in West Clarendon, dye and dress cloth.

Sat., 17 Sept. 1808:

Supreme Court at Burlington. Trial for several of crew of the Black Snake for murder. Verdict against Mott was, on motion of his counsel, arrested by the court on account of some illegal procedure relative to the jury. Cyrus B. Deane convicted of murder. Sentenced to be hanged 28 Oct. next. David Sheffield convicted of manslaughter.

Died Williston, Mrs. Phoebe Fountain, wife of Richard Fountain, 20[?30].

Died Burlington, 22 ult., Royal Hull David Godolphin Dodge, 4y 4m, son of David D. Dodge.

Died Leicester, 24 Aug. last, after 12 days confinement to her bed, Miss Sally M. Dow in 22<sup>nd</sup> yr. and eldest dau. of Moses Dow of same place. "Death, like an overflowing stream, sweeps us away—our life's a dream, An empty tale, a morning flower, Cut down and withered in an hour."

Masonic George Washington Lodge, Chelsea, VT, expelled Matthew Grey.

Sat., 24 Sept. 1808:

Castleton, Prudence Murdick advertises that her clothing works are now in order. Mr. Robinson is carrying on the business.

Rutland, Ralph Paige, dresses cloth.

Sat., 1 Oct. 1808:

Died Hanover, NH, Hon. Peter Olcott, Esq. of Norwich, VT, formerly Lt. Gov. of that state and for many years a member of board of trustees for Dartmouth College, 75.

Died Royalton, consort of Jacob Smith, Esq.

Died Willsborough, NY, 20 ult., Julius A. Preston of Orwell, VT in 20<sup>th</sup> yr.

Fire at Ticonderoga Falls, owned by Dr. Nathaniel Sherril of Shoreham, VT

Rutland, John M'Connel sells lime.

Sat., 8 Oct. 1808:

Married Ira, 2 inst., Rufus Burlingham of that place, Miss Eunice Davis of Clarendon.

Died Plainfield, Andrew Miner, ae 20, printer.

Divorce petition, Hannah Stebbins of Barnard vs. John Stebbins; married 2 Apr. 1795, he then of Barnard, Sept. 1801 deserted her.

List of letters at Rutland Post Office: **Rutland**, Dila Austin; **Shrewsbury**, John Ashley; **Rutland**, William Bowen, Brimsmaid & Bliss, John Bradley; **Clarendon**, Francis Buckin; **Shrewsbury**, Silas Beverstock, Eleazer Baldwin; **Mt. Holly**, Nathaniel D. Barnes; **Rutland**, Sukey Cheney, Isaac Chatterton, Wait Chatterton, Sally Clyd, Bezaliel Culver, Francis Childs; **Clarendon**, William Carr[?]; **Rutland**, Rufus Deland, Achsah Dodge; **Clarendon**, Daniel Dyer, Warren Drinkwater; **Mt. Holly**, William Davis; **Rutland**, Matthew Fenton; **Shrewsbury**, Ebenezer Freeman, Samuel Forbs, Edward Felt; **Sherburne**, Nathaniel M. Fuller; **Rutland**, Jesse Gilbert, Nathan S. Graham, Sylvester Grenel, Dan Giddings, Mark Gardner, Nathaniel Gould; **Pittsfield**, Nahum Green; **Sherburne**, Rachel Gillmore; **Vermont**, Grand Secretary of Lodges; **Rutland**, Betsey Hinds, Eunice Hidden; **Chittenden**, Joseph Harrison, John Hall; **Clarendon**, Truman Hicks; **Sherburne**, Ords Johnson; **Rutland**, Prudence Kilbourne, Mehitable Leach; **Shrewsbury**, Wm. Lord; **Rutland**, Aaron Miller, Stephen Mead, James Mead 2<sup>nd</sup>, Henry Mead, Jacob Meacham, Philemon Morey; **Middletown**, Samuel M'Cluer; **Rutland**, Joseph Nichols, Simeon Post, Samuel Page, Jr.; **Pittsford**, Milton Potter; **Ira**, Joseph Perry; **Clarendon**, Thomas Pell, Jason Potter; **Rutland**, Garnsey Roots, Lydia Rice, John Rollins, Eli Ripley; **Shrewsbury**, Benjamin Reed, Joseph Randall, Wells, Friend Ross; **Rutland**, Cephas Smith, Esq., James Smith; **Shrewsbury**, Moses Saunderson; **Clarendon**, Oliver Steward; **Sudbury**, Charles Stuart; **Rutland**, Ebenezer P. Tuttle, Johnson C. Thrall, R. Temple; **Ira**, Richard Tilleson; **Clarendon**, Belden Taylor; **Rutland**, Samuel Williams, L.L.D., Richard Williams, Caleb Whipple; **Ira**, Freeloze Waterman; **Shrewsbury**, Nathaniel Welder, Abigail Webber; **Mt. Holly**, Rev. Elijah Willard; **Pittsford**, Stephen Wood; **Clarendon**, Silas Whitney, Ezekiel Westcot.

Sat., 15 Oct. 1808:

Supreme Court at Danville; convicted Abel Willard, counterfeiting, seven years in prison; Augustus Bartlett, counterfeiting, seven years in prison; George Parker, counterfeiting, seven years in prison; Jotham Sterns, counterfeiting, seven years in prison; James Moore, counterfeiting, four years in prison; Ephraim Libbe, counterfeiting, six years in prison; Allen Briant, counterfeiting, seven years in prison; James Lewis, perjury, pillory for one hour.

Circuit Court held in this town. Bills for treason against John Hoxie, Frederick Hoxie, Jacob Hoxie, John and Ezekiel Taylor also confined for treason, but are to be discharged.

Long list of officers of Grand Lodge of Vermont (Masonic).

Died Burlington, 25 ult., Joshua Stanton Camp, 22, son of Luke of Westford, a few days before had completed his law education.

Died Waterbury, 27 ult., Elias Buel, Jr., 41.

Died Brandon, 29 Aug., Miss Polly Parker, 24, dau. of Widow Elizabeth Parker of Charlestown, NH. Capt. Estabrooks, recruiter of Rutland, is to take troops to Alburg.

Sat., 22 Oct. 1808: [missing]

Sat., 29 Oct. 1808

Drowned Otter Creek Wed night, 14 Sept. at Gage's Ferry in Ferrisburgh, Frederick Saxton of Monkton, 23. He mounted his horse in the ferry to avoid water as ferry was leaky. Horse stepped backwards and both fell into water. Ferry man also was knocked into water, but he grabbed hold of the horse and made it to shore. Body of Saxton found near morning. Thurs., funeral at Monkton; Rev. Cleaver[?Cheaver] of Bristol preached.

Died Middlebury, morn of 13 inst., at 1 o'clock, Loyal Case, Esq., State's Attorney for Addison Co., 32. Confined about a fortnight with typhus fever. Survived by wife and four small children, etc. Funeral preached by Rev. Elder Green.

Clarendon, David Potter will pay no debts of James Effice; a man of color, c. 59 yrs. old.

*Newburyport Herald*, died this town Sat. last in 75<sup>th</sup> yr., Benjamin Cotton, long called Col., was in all wars 1753-1782. Saved by Washington when Braddock fell. When Washington visited northern states they visited about old days. Washington gave him a guinea which he wore on his bosom and said he would wear it until death. But he spent it on his marriage ceremony. So many of the soldiers are suffering from poverty, etc. [Pensions not available until 1818 for Revolutionary soldiers.]

Sat., 5 Nov. 1808:

Clarendon, Mary Farr has commenced the weaving business at William Crossman's in Clarendon, will weave Coverlids, diapers and plain cloth.

Sat., 12 Nov. 1808: [missing]

Sat., 19 Nov. 1808: [date torn off]

Died this village very suddenly, Wed. eve last, Mrs. ----- Trask, 62.

Divorce petition, Rebecca Heady of Castleton vs. Oliver Heady, Jr., married 6 Mar. 1800, he then of Castleton, now parts unknown. Deserted her more than three years ago.

Divorce petition, Abiah Bacon of Fair Haven vs. David Bacon. He hath deserted her more than three years [no marriage date]

Probate, Titus Andrus, Mt. Holly. In his will he left land to Henry Burt and Eber Andrus. Cyrus Andrews, administrator.

Sat., 26 Nov. 1808: [missing]

Sat., 3 Dec., 1808: [missing]

Sat., 10 Dec. 1808:

Married this town, Thurs. eve last, by Rev. Ball, Jacob Page, Miss Hannah Willis.

Married Parkerstown, on same eve, William H. Bliss of this town, Miss Phila Farmer of the former place. Probate, Moses Gile, Mt. Holly, Widow Betsey, William Gile, administrator.

Orwell, Ephraim Scovel lost mare.

Rutland, Truman Mead, boot and shoemaker.

Divorce, Dolly Stearns of Rutland vs. Benjamin Stearns, late of Rutland, now out of state, married over ten years ago, adultery with lewd women.

Brandon, Joel Hunter is moving.

Rutland, partnership of John Stanley and Zenas Allen dissolved.

Wells, partnership of Ira Mix and Moses Turner dissolved.

Tinmouth, Jared Ives complains wife, Joanna, has run him into debt.

Rutland, Abel Page, saddler, opens on second story of A. Lothrop Store, formerly occupied by Wells and Washburn, list includes military trimmings.

Rutland, Benjamin Lord, watches, clocks, jewelry, catheters and tooth instruments.

Court, Asa Darbe of Orwell vs. James Barnet formerly of Hoosac, NY, now Crown Point, NY, Calvin Field of Brandon, Othniel Field of Brandon, now Holland Purchase, NY.

Arlington, Hezekiah Leffingwell has for sale a tavern and 100 acres, 200 apple trees, etc., c. half mile east of West Meeting House on Road from Rutland-Troy. Can also inquire of Jeremiah Leffingwell of Middletown.

Rutland, Eleazer Wheelock will discontinue carrying newspapers except by package.

Rutland County Court, Siloma Wood vs. Albro Anthony. He paid her (an orphan child) visits beginning nine years ago. She got pregnant. His parents refused to consent to marriage; she sued for \$1,000. The parents consented and Chief Judge married them. [This couple was from Sherburne, VT. Albro Anthony, 1762-1834; Salome Wood, wf, 1782-1855.]

Woodstock, Masonic, Warren Lodge expelled Thomas Gross, late of Hartland.  
Divorce, Charity Durgin of Danby vs. Gideon D. Durgin. When married 25 Oct. 1804 he was of Danby.  
He deserted 25 Sept. 1805 and is out of state.

Sat., 17 Dec. 1808:

Probate, David Lovett, Pittsford, Widow Esther.

Probate, Polly Williams, Rutland.

Died Boston, Sat., 10 inst., James Sullivan, Governor of MA, 65.

Died Middletown, 9 inst., Deac. Gideon Miner in 80<sup>th</sup> yr. Funeral Sun. following; Rev. Bigelow preached.  
Rutland, David Jewell sells brick half mile south of Courthouse.

Rutland, Essence of Spruce sold at Dr. Thomas Hooker's in Rutland and Silas R. Deming's in Brandon.  
Used in Brewing, gives recipe.

Rutland, Abel Page commences saddlery business a few rods north of Court House, list includes elegant  
Bitts and Bradoons for military bridles.

Rutland, Abijah Lothrop has received from Boston, English, East and West India goods.

Rutland, Thomas Hooker and Thomas Tupper at store lately occupied by Capt. John Prentiss.

Sat., 24 Dec. 1808:

Shrewsbury, John Kilburn, Jr. and Moses Colburn guardians for Willard Colburn.

Married Buffaloe[sic], NY, 29 Sept. last, Hon. John Parmelee to Miss Sally Brown, dau. of Hon. Luther of  
Orwell.

Married at Orwell within a few weeks, Mr. Boughton Munger, Miss Sally Hitchcock; Julius C. Clark; Miss  
Betsey Gleason; Lukewarm Munger of Orwell, Miss Harriet Stay of Benson; Levi Royce, Miss Pholomel  
Bascom; Josiah Bascom, Miss Betsey Bottom; Archibald Seymour, Miss Matilda Moulton; Martin Stevens,  
Miss Susanna Webb; Waldo Webster, Miss Lucy Bisbee; Elijah Spalding, Miss Achsa Ames.

Clarendon, Farm for sale by Giles Pierce, formerly owned by Maj. Jedediah Clark, Jr., c. 4½ miles from  
Courthouse on Stage Road from Rutland to Bennington, 200 acres—40 acres is intervalle near Otter Creek,  
wood, pasture, plough and meadow lands. Six hundred rods of whole and half wall and fences, young  
orchard. Buildings—large two story house, large barn, sheds and hovels, blacksmith shop.

New Furnace in Tinmouth, Wait Rathbun.

Rutland County Court, Calvin Robinson of Shrewsbury vs. Ebenezer Case, late of Shrewsbury, now near  
Glens Falls, NY and William Bond of Shrewsbury.

Sat., 31 Dec. 1808: [missing]

Sat., 7 Jan. 1809: [part removed]

Rutland, Truman Mead wants journeyman for shoemaking business.

Married Sherburne, 25 ult., Holmes Bessey of Woodstock, Miss Nancy V. Fuller of former place.

Died Wallingford, 21 ult., Mrs. Phoebe Mulford, wife of Dr. Augustus, in 26<sup>th</sup> yr.

Sat., 14 Jan. 1809:

Rutland, William Hall removes his saddlery business to his new brick shop adjoining store formerly  
occupied by John Smith & Co.

Burlington, Mott and Mudgett guilty of manslaughter.

Rutland, Stockbridge Turnpike, \$15.00 tax on each share. Wm. Page, Jr., Treas.

Clarendon, Daniel Onion has found a small red cow.

Publication at this office, *The Trial of Cyrus B. Dean for murder of Ormsby & Marsh.*

Sat., 21 Jan. 1809:

Clarendon, Thomas Potter announces his invention, a machine that will raise water to the height of 500 feet  
by means of a wheel through an aqueduct, will patent it.

Clarendon, Jonathan Parker and Francis Parker have purchased James Paige's clothier works.

Court, Jacob Upton of Fitchburgh, MA vs. Abel Spencer, late of Rutland, William Baxter, Trustee.

Pittsford, William Frisbie asks people owing him money to pay up.

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Sat., 28 Jan. 1809:

Wintonbury [CT], spotted fever claimed lives of four people in 57 hours in family of Thomas Shepherd, Jr. Tues., 10 inst., Mary, 4 yrs.; Wed., 11 inst., Henry, 25 yrs.; Wed., 11 inst., Wealthy, wife of Thomas, 45; Thurs., 12 inst., Wealthy, daughter, 6 yrs. Married Huntsburgh, Sun. eve, 15 inst., Lt. Nathan Pratt, Jr., of this town, Miss Eunice Wright of the former place. Died Tinmouth, Fri., 20 inst., Mrs. Lois Noble, wife of Obadiah, Jr., Esq., 26. Died Burlington, 8 inst., John Fay, Esq., attorney, 41<sup>st</sup> yr. Died Jericho, 18 inst., James A. Potter, one of Judges of Chittenden Co. Court. Rutland, Benjamin Fay, shoemaking, tanning and currying. Poultney Woolen Manufacturing Co. meeting at Daniel Parsons. Billy Todd, Clerk. Woolen factory now owned by Thomas Todd may be purchased by company. Incorporation granted by Legislature to Thomas and Billy Todd, et al, last October. Clarendon, Giles Pierce will sell former Maj. Jedediah Clark, Jr. farm, 4½ miles from Rutland Courthouse on stage road to Bennington, 240 acres, large two story house, barn, blacksmith shop.

Sat., 4 Feb. 1809:

Rutland, catalog of books for sale at Wm. Fay's Bookstore. Sudbury, Jesse Tenny found stray cow. Married Leicester, 29 Dec., Harry Waterhouse of Salisbury, Miss Celina Patch of former place. Married Leicester, 3 inst. or 8 inst., Harry Johnson of Salisbury, Miss Hannah Capron of Leicester. Married Leicester, 15 inst., Ebenezer R. Daggett of Bangor, NY, Miss Irene Hitchcock of Leicester. Married Salisbury, 3 inst., Harvey Deming, Miss Ruby Sturdevant.

Died Boston, Thomson J. Skinner, Esq., late Treasurer of MA.

Sat., 11 Feb. 1809: [missing]

Sat., 18 Feb. 1809:

Probate, John Meacham, Benson, at house of Timothy Watson.

St. Albans, Printers requested not to receive in their office overgrown boy; Champion Wells has left me, Rufus Allen.

Married Canajoharie, NY, 10 Jan., Dr. John Peck of Burlington, Miss Almira Keyes of former place.

Died Middletown, Thurs., 9 inst., Luther Fillmore, 59.

Died Burlington, 30 inst., Mrs. Lydia Johnson, 46, wife of Hamlin Johnson.

Rutland, Nath'l Page lost on road between Reynold's Mills and Courthouse, Woolen Covered, a mixture of black, white and red, pladed [plaid] and marked with letters PS.

Rutland, Benj. Pratt says my apprentice in carpenter trade, Alvord Deland, left St. Albans, printers warned not to hire a boy Champion Wells who left Rufus Allen.

Sat., 25 Feb. 1809:

George Brown, alias Merdy Swaller, in jail for counterfeiting in Franklin Co., had lived in Windsor, stole a horse from Mr. Ballow in Barnard.

Probate, Luther Fillmore, Middletown, Widow Eunice.

Fairhaven Turnpike Co. at Chauncey Smith's in Benson. John B. Catlin, Treas.

Brandon, S.R. Deming sells salmon and shad by the barrel.

Sat., 4 Mar. 1809: [missing]

Sat., 11 Mar. 1809:

Rutland, meeting at tavern of Capt. Benjamin Pratt in the West Parish to form a Company and make purchase of land in Ohio. (These people later moved to Licking Co., OH.)

Died Georgia, 16 ult., Luke Hill, 77.

Rutland, Abijah Lathrop list of new store goods.

Rutland, new store next door south of Henry Gould's Inn opened by Daniel Greeno.

New periodical, *Adviser or Vermont Evangelical Magazine*, Middlebury [probably Congregational].

Long list of Vermont ministers.

Sat., 18 Mar. 1809:

Married Wells, 19 ult., Joseph Lumbard, Miss Betsey Mallery.

Died Plattsburgh, NY, 3 ult., a stranger, supposed to be Benjamin Danford, formerly of Bennington Co., and late from Middlebury.

Dr. S. Fancher informs public that he has left a genuine Kine Pock Infection in Chrystoline form with Dr. Levi Simmons at St. Albans, VT where medical practitioners and those employed to inoculate US troops may depend on suitable supplies of instruments of matter.

Fire on 4 inst., dwelling of Jirah Durkee of Royalton occupied as tavern by Minot Wheeler burned. Family narrowly escaped.

Pawlet, Joseph Armstrong's wife, Sally, refuses to live with him.

Hezekiah Moors of Mt. Holly is author of *The Province Harmony*.

Rutland, Daniel Greeno has taken store next door south of Henry Gould's Inn, list of goods.

Sat., 25 Mar. 1809:

Probate, Widow Sarah [Mrs. Joseph] Smith, Clarendon at Seba French's dwelling.

Probate, Ephraim Osborn, Castleton.

Fair Haven, Ebenezer Smith's wife, Anna, has left.

Married Hancock, Charles Lamb of Rochester, Miss Polly Converse of the former place.

Married Poultney, 19 ult., Asa Butler, Miss Tryphena Goodwin.

Married Ira, 15 inst., Richard Tillotson, Miss Rassamond Carpenter.

Married this town, 23 ult., Alanson Goodwin of Poultney, Miss Letusha Campbell of former place. "Let harmony and holy love, And friendship ever reign, Thro' all their thoughts and life to prove, Of twain, they now are one."

Died Manlius, NY, 13 Feb., of consumption, David M'Whorter, attorney, graduate of Middlebury College, 28.

Died Bridport, 18 inst., of consumption, Mrs. Susan Gray, consort of Daniel, 23.

Died Hartford, CT, of prevailing malignant fever all in a few days, John Dodd, Esq., Post-Master, 65; his wife, Mary, 56; John Codd [Dodd], Jr., merchant, his eldest son, 43; Capt. Josiah Dodd, nephew of Post-Master, 30; Miss Hannah Bull, 28; Miss Rebecca Bull, 22, dau. of Jonathan Bull, Esq.

Died Canandaigua, NY, Oliver Phelps, Esq., formerly of Suffield, CT.

Died Johnstown, RI, Roger Williams, Esq.

Died Woodstock, Joseph Darling, 73.

Died Cavendish, of a lingering illness, Miss Eunice Green, dau. of Nehemiah, 29.

West Rutland, meeting of Ohio Company at Capt. B. Pratt's Tavern. Solomon Purdy, Jr., Clerk.

Rutland, Eli Ripley and Seth Warren want two journeymen carpenters and house joiners.

Sat., 1 Apr. 1809:

Probate, Samuel Waters, Pittsford.

Married Pawlet, 23 ult., Hubbard Fitch, Miss Eliza B. Brown.

Sat., 8 Apr. 1809:

Isaac Clark, agent for County Grammar School in Castleton, will sell land in Fairhaven, Benson, Parkerstown [now Mendon], Chittenden, Philadelphia [now part of Chittenden] and Pittsfield.

Died Orwell, 4 inst., Levi Sanford in 40<sup>th</sup> yr.

Letters at Rutland Post Office: **Rutland**, Whitcomb P. Ames; **Pittsford**, Elisha Adams; **Ira**, John Anderson; **Sherburne**, Albro Anthony; **Rutland**, Joshua Brooks & Co., William Butman, Timothy Blanchard, James Bowen; **Tinmouth**, Rev. William Bois, Mrs. Mary Benjamin; **Shrewsbury**, Mrs. Nilly Brown; **Clarendon**, Benjamin Brown, Elisha Boardman, Samuel Bagley, Joseph Bishop; **Pittsford**, Ebenezer Beach; **Plymouth**, Noah Briggs; **Rutland County**, Gideon Barnum; **Rutland**, Benjamin Cheney, Mrs. Betsey Cleveland, William Clark; **Shrewsbury**, Uriah Cook; **Mt. Tabor**, William Carpenter; **Mt. Holly**, David Chatterton; **Clarendon**, Adin Drake; **Pittsford**, Israel Ellsworth; **Rutland**, Benjamin Farmer; **Shrewsbury**, Jane Forbes; **Rutland County**, Robert Green; **Pittsford**, William Gill; **Rutland**, Walter Himes, Truman Haskins; **Clarendon**, Moses Hosmer, George Hall, John Hill; **Shrewsbury**, Jonathan Jones, Abijah Jenison; **Pittsford**, Daniel Jackson; **Rutland**, Phinehas Kingsley, Moses Lester, Garrit Lawrence; **Shrewsbury**, Daniel Lincoln; **Pittsford**, Martin Leach; **Rutland**, Jeptha Moses, Sally M'Kinzie; **Pittsford**, Jesse Moon; **Philadelphia**, Lyman Mitchell; **Rutland**, Moses L. Neal, Samuel Prentiss; **Wells**, Jona. Paul; **Ira**, Joseph Perry; **Clarendon**, Abner Perry; **Tinmouth**, Abner Pratt; **Rutland**, B.G. Roots, Freeman Ruggles, Moses Ralfe; **Shrewsbury**, Samuel Roger, Mrs. Abigail Robinson; **Rutland**, Ira Seward, Peter Southerland, Wm. Saunders; **Tinmouth**, Hannah Spafford; **Clarendon**, Zebulon Spaulding; **Rutland**, Mary Todd or Daniel Wright; **Wells**, Anna Taylor; **Rutland**, Timothy Willard, Joseph Whipple; **Pittsford**, George Wilson; **Tinmouth**, David Young.

Sat., 15 Apr. 1809: [missing]

Sat., 22 Apr. 1809: [missing]

Sat., 29 Apr. 1809: [missing]

Sat., 6 May 1809: [part cut out]

Died Charlotte, 11 inst., Miss Lucy Hill, dau. of James Hill, 13<sup>th</sup> yr.

Part of a long letter about the waterworks in Rutland, by S. Williams.

Rutland, Amos Kimball discontinues carrying newspapers.

Rutland, Miss Sprague ad for a day school for young ladies.

Orwell, Timothy F. Cook and Michael Stevens dissolve partnership.

Cavendish, William Spaulding, 18 years, ran away from John Spaulding.  
Benson, Masonic Cement Lodge No. 19 expelled Elijah Remington of Castleton. Aaron Preast, Sec.

Sat., 13 May 1809: [missing]

Sat., 20 May 1809: [missing]

Sat., 27 May 1809:

Courthouse fire at Bennington noted under *Rutland Courier*.

Probate, Samuel Waters, Pittsford.

Married this town, Thurs., 18 inst., Elias Gates, Miss Sally Smilt.

Died Westminster, 17 inst., Hon. Lot Hall, Esq., 52, formerly one of Judges of Supreme Court.

Died this town, 23 inst., child of Nathaniel Cornell.

Will celebrate at Salisbury Mills 10 June, the date that closes a series of disputes with one of the belligerent nations of Europe. Committee, Henry Olin, John Morton, Eli Derby, Geo. Griswold, R. Saxton.

Sat., 3 June 1809:

Rutland, Ephraim Cheeney lost a pocketbook.

West Rutland, William Fairchild, tailor near Pratt's Tavern.

Died Wells, 29 April, Israel Geer, 67, very suddenly from a small wound on the back of his hand 12 days before.

Died Wells, 2<sup>nd</sup> ult., Elijah Geer, son of Alby, of a fever on 2<sup>nd</sup> of his illness, 15[?13]

Died Wells, 8 ult., Miss Sally Lamb of a fever, dau. of Phinehas, 14.

Middletown, Wm. M'Allaster has invented and built gristmill (which he will patent) for John Burnham, Jr., Esq., of Middletown, etc. No one can build on this plan without Burnham's consent; all who wish to build mills on horizontal plan are invited to view his water wheels.

Sat., 10 June 1809: [missing]

Sat., 17 June 1809: [missing]

Sat., 24 June 1809:

Probate, Obadiah Edmonds, Danby.

Divorce petition, Marcia Belden of Woodstock vs. John Belden, married 9 May 1790 at Berlin, CT; he then of Weathersfield, CT, Nov. 1804 deserted her.

Clarendon celebration, 10 inst., large number of Republicans gathered at house of Seba French to celebrate day that closed difficulties with Great Britain. Thomas Stewart chosen President and Dr. Benj. Cushman, Vice President of the day. Toasts after dinner celebrate Embargo and Non-Intercourse laws end.

Married this town, Tues. eve last, by Rev. Ball, Cheever Felch, printer, Walpole, NH, Miss Mary Hale of former place.

Died NY, 8 inst., Thomas Paine, c. 70.

Rutland, Wm. Gookins & Co. have put machines in order for carding wool.

Sat., 1 July 1809:

East Clarendon, Jonathan and Francis Parker have purchased the machines [carding] lately owned by Truman B. Hicks.

Daniel S. Ewing & Co. of West Clarendon, William Gookins & Co. of West Rutland, and Francis Parker & Co. of East Clarendon agree to card wool at six cents per pound if payment is made before 1 Oct. or eight cents before 1 Jan. 1810.

Probate, Levi Sanford, Orwell, Widow Hulda.

Rutland, William Bliss ad for journeymen house-joiners. [He lives at Sutherlin's Falls, now Proctor.]

Married Washington City, by British Legation Chaplain, Hon. John Randolph, Esq., Miss Federalism, favorite step-daughter of John Bull.

Married Shaftsbury, 18 June inst., Noah Town of Grenville, NY, Miss Susannah Martin of that town.

Married Shaftsbury, Lyman Reed of Pawlet, Miss Parthenia Galusha, dau. of Jacob, Esq.  
Married Burlington, 23 ult. A.M., Samuel Chambers, Miss Betsey Snow, both of St. Albans.  
Died Bristol, Sat., 7 inst., Mr. Alger, ae 50, of inflammation of the bowels caused by fall of a tree.  
Drowned at Castleton Wed. last, a child of Nicholas Wheeler, ae 2.  
Died Windsor, Sun. last, Seymour Briggs, 16, son of Zadock of Bernardston, MA.  
Died Berlin, Josiah Huntoon, 24.  
Rutland, Hall & Green at former Capt. J. Smith store.  
West Clarendon carding machine, James Edmonds, Preserved Fish, Horatio Beall, Daniel S. Ewing.  
Rutland, Thomas Potter tells more about his machine for raising water. Asa Hale's family in Rutland has one.  
Rutland, Levi Long's colts have strayed.  
Fair Haven, firm of John Herring & Co. (John Herring, Moses Cotton, Joel Berman) has dissolved, is now Herring & Cotton. [Later issues say Moses Colton and Joel Beeman which is correct.]

Sat., 8 July 1809: [missing]

Sat., 15 July 1809: [missing]

Sat., 22 July 1809:

Rutland, Abijah Lathrop's store goods ad, will now be Lathrop & Lawton.  
Portsmouth, [NH], 4 July, at Fort Constitution in mouth of the harbor, while discharging cannon, fire spread to the ammunition chest containing 400 wt. of powder. It blew up, six people known dead, 12 wounded, fate of others unknown. Capt. Walbach's house nearly destroyed. Killed: Sgt. Alberts, Pvts. M'Daniel and Witham, Mr. Pickering of Newington, boy belonging to Kittery.  
Rev. Jeremiah Atwater, President of Middlebury College in VT, replaces Rev. Dr. Charles Nesbitt, Principal of the College at Carlisle, PA.  
Died New Haven, 16 inst., Mrs. Semantha Jewett, 24, wife of Alpheus.  
Wells, Amos Bowe offers reward for his stray mare.  
Clarendon Springs, George Round found stray mare.  
Probate, Ebenezer Smith, Fair Haven, at house of Salmon Norton.  
Brandon, Micah Brown lost two cows.  
Hubbardton, Ethan P. Eddy testifies that S.W. Dana's improvement in wheel carriages is Dana's own and not an imitation.  
Brandon, Hatting & Clothing business, Pomeroy, Rhodes, Keller. The company bought a stand in Sudbury a few rods east of Capt. Daniel Smith's Tavern. Rhodes bought a house in Sudbury, he will carry on the business there. The others are at Brandon.  
New line of stages from Troy to Middlebury, Orson Martin, Joseph Branch, Jonathan Orms.  
Chittenden Selectmen Jonathan Dike, John Cowes and Jeffrey A. Booge say Lydia Baird with her mulatto child (on support of the town), ran away from Nathaniel Bancroft.  
Letters at Rutland Post Office: **Clarendon**, Solomon Abbot, Ned Angel; **Ira**, Robert Anderson; **Rutland**, William Baxter, William Bowen, Whiting K. Bell; **Salisbury**, Jonathan Bellows; **Rutland**, Samuel Campbell, Esther Campbell, Henry Clark, Lt. William Campbell; **Clarendon**, James Crocker, Nathaniel Crary; **Rutland**, Henry Downs, Thomas Dunning, Gad Daniels, John Daniels, Achsah Dodge; **Clarendon**, Daniel Dyer; **Hubbardton**, Stephen W. Dana; **Clarendon**, Esther Edmunds; **Moira**, Josiah Eddy; **Pittsford**, James Fenn; **Clarendon**, Anna French; **Rutland**, Henry Gould, N.B. Graham, Nichols Goddard, Lemuel Haynes, Elisha Himes, Betsey Hinds; **County of Rutland**, Elnathan Hunt; **Pittsford**, William Hoas; **Clarendon**, Theophilus Herington; **Shrewsbury**, Joseph Harvey; **Rutland**, Phinehas Kingsley; **Brandon**, Simeon King; **Rutland**, Lydia Lawrence; **County of Rutland**, Leonard Loveland; **Wells**, John Law; **Tinmouth**, James Lowen; **Rutland**, Philip M'Kenzie; **Tinmouth**, Charles Mills; **Philadelphia**, Thomas Mitchel; **Pittsford**, John Meriam; **Rutland**, Joseph R. Newell; **Clarendon**, Peter C. Newell, Gideon Olin; **Rutland**, Gardner Powers; **Tinmouth**, Abner Pratt; **Clarendon**, Amos Robinson; **Pittsford**, Philip Rawlins; **Tinmouth**, Robert Ross; **Rutland**, Cephas Smith, Jr., John Smith, Esq., Benjamin Skinner, Secretary of Grand Lodge, State's Attorney; **Tinmouth**, Elisha Smith; **Sudbury**, Charles C. Stewart; **Clarendon**, Abigail Stewart, Sally Smith; **Pittsfield**, Zebudee Sprout; **Rutland**, Aaron Thrall, Merit

Towner, Abial Washburn, Eleazer Wheelock; Timothy Willard, Stephen M. Wheelock, Timothy Willard, Jr., Mary Williams, Jedediah Walker, Asher Wright, Joseph Whipple; **Pittsford**, Samuel Warner; **Clarendon**, Robert Wilbur; **Shrewsbury**, Amasa Willis; **Ira**, Omri Warner; **Hubbardton**, Dr. Kenelm Winslow; **Shrewsbury**, Peter Zimmerhakle. Thomas Hooker, Post Master.

Sat., 29 July 1809:

Probate, Seth Cary, Brandon, at inn of Jacob Simons.

Probate, Daniel Marsh, Clarendon.

Brandon Academy, John Conant, Daniel Pomeroy, Elijah Parker, Prudential Committee.

Rutland, James Porter [Dr.] has purchased stock of medicine lately owned by Eleazer Wheelock.

Sat., 5 Aug. 1809: [missing]

Sat., 12 Aug. 1809: [missing]

Sat., 19 Aug. 1809:

Married Middlebury, 10 Aug. inst., Samuel H. Holly, Esq., Miss Sophia Larrabee, all of that place.

Married Middlebury, 14 inst., John Willard, Esq., Marshal of District of VT, Miss Emma Hart.

Died Lebanon, 7 inst., His Excellency Jonathan Trumbull, Esq., Governor of CT, 69.

Died Westhaven, 11 inst., Mrs. Johannah Mitchell, consort of Capt. Schaboel Mitchell, 46<sup>th</sup> yr. Survived by husband and nine children.

Died Clarendon, Sun., 13 inst., Amos Robinson, 74.

Died New Haven, 2 inst., Ephraim Munson, 66, after being confined over five years in a state of insensibility.

Died Georgia, VT, 24 July, Asa Blodget, 82<sup>nd</sup> yr.

Died Maloan [Malone], NY, 18 ult., Mrs. Lucy Haswell, consort of Anthony J. Haswell, in 80<sup>th</sup> [?30<sup>th</sup>] yr.

Died Malone, NY, 28<sup>th</sup>, Ecarl[?Eearl] Rockwell, late of Cornwall, VT, 24<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Constable [prob. NY], Thurs., 3 Aug., at 8 P.M., William Wares, Richard Buswell and two others, while returning home from work in a canoe near Canadian line, storm upset canoe. Interred on 5<sup>th</sup>.

Sermon by Elder Rowley of Grenville. Wares had wife and four children. Buswell has wife and one child at Deerfield, NH.

Died Benson, VT, 1 inst., Aziel Anson Barnes, favorite and beloved child of Aziel Barnes, of typhus fever after a sickness of seven days, in 8<sup>th</sup> yr. Long poem by K.B.

Middletown, James Ives ad for new distillery of gin, has goods for sale including Sweedes Iron, English and American blistered steel.

Poultney, Samuel Fifield found stray mare.

Ticonderoga, William Paige and Johnson C. Thrall purchased Mr. Treadway's Clothier works.

Sat., 26 Aug. 1809: [missing]

Sat., 2 Sept. 1809: [missing]

Sat., 9 Sept. 1809: [missing]

Sat., 16 Sept. 1809: [missing]

Sat., 23 Sept. 1809:

Trial of Dean and Mott, surprise that Dean found guilty of murder and executed for aiding Mott in killing of Ormsby and Marsh, while Mott, the actual murderer, not found guilty on technicality that officer attending jury not sworn. Long article.

Died Westhaven, 4 inst., Eli Adams, son of Samuel, 30<sup>th</sup> yr., long illness of consumption.

West Clarendon ad for Fish, Edmunds & Beall and Danl. S. Ewings & Co., put works in order for dressing cloth and have superior dyestuffs, thin cloth dyed at half price and yarn as usual. Black, guaranteed not to crock, 25¢; Navy Blue, 23¢; London Brown, 29¢; British Mud, 29¢; Snuff Brown, 25¢; London Smoak,

23¢; Forest Drav, 20¢. Will take wheat, corn, rye, oats, beans, peas, butter, cheese, pork, beef, cloth and house ashes for payment.

Probate, James Woods, Danby.

Sat., 30 Sept. 1809: [missing]

Sat., 7 Oct. 1809:

Rutland, James D. Butler at brick store north of Courthouse.

Middletown, P. & B. Frisby ad for sale, apple trees at their fruit groves.

Castleton, A.W. Hyde has farm for sale in Poultney.

Rutland, Ebenezer Andrews and Elvin Andrews dissolve partnership. Elvin Andrews to continue cloth dressing at their stand.

East Clarendon, Jonathan Parker & Co., prices for dying cloth and colors.

Married Middletown, Sun. eve last, by Rev. Bigelow, Silas Lovell, Miss Betsey Frisby.

Died Middletown, 4 inst., Bacchus Huntington, 24.

Clarendon, Moses Chaplin finds stray sheep.

Clarendon, Joseph Palmer's wife, Lucy, left him.

Rutland, Medad Sheldon ad for sale, farm of 160 acres and excellent orchard, also a tavern stand with a new two story house and stables, also a small dwelling and blacksmith shop.

Pittsford, Jirah Barlow wants journeyman clothiers.

Philip Johnson lost pocketbook on road between Capt. Hyde's in Castleton and Rutland.

Orson Martin will carry mail from Lansingburg to Champlain, passing through Rutland, Castleton, Fairhaven to Vergennes. Elisha Clark will carry newspapers from Rutland to Champlain.

Wed., 18 Oct. 1809: [Day of publishing changed to Wed.]

List of Letters at Rutland Post Office: **Rutland**, Abraham Anthony, Amasa Austin; **Clarendon**, Stephen Arnold; **Rutland**, Timothy Blanchard, Ebenezer Blanchard, Jr., Wm. Baker, Wm. Baxter; **Chittenden**, Solomon Beebe; **Ira**, Cromwell Bowen; **Clarendon**, Elisha Boardman; **Tinmouth**, Dan H. Benjamin, Phebe Blakeley; **Philadelphia**, Samuel Bancroft; **Rutland**, Darius Chipman, Nathaniel Cornell, Titus A. Cook; **Tinmouth**, Elisha Clark; **Pittsfield**, Abisha Crossman; **Wells**, Daniel Cross; **Rutland**, Thomas Dunning; **Pittsfield**, Lewis Drury; **Goshen**, Joseph Davis; **Rutland**, Nathan Estabrooks, James Estabrooks, James Egleston; **Clarendon**, Esther Edmonds, Thomas Eddy, Isaac Eddy; **Sherburne**, N.M. Fuller, Amasa Fuller; **Rutland**, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge; **Pittsfield**, John Gaines; **Rutland**, Hibbert & Parsons, Lemuel Haynes, Amos Hewit, David Hurlburt; **Chittenden**, Samuel Harrison; **Clarendon**, Cyrus R. Hewit; **Pittsford**, Wheelock Houghton; **State of Vermont**, Joseph Harvey; **Rutland**, Samuel Jones; **Shrewsbury**, Abijah Jenison; **Ira**, David Johnson; **Rutland**, Elijah Knights, Asahel Langworthy, Phebe Lilly, Lydia Lawrence; **Clarendon**, Epaphras Loomis, John Leonard; **Rutland**, Truman Mead, Elnathan Moses, Joseph Mason, Abner Mead, Jr., John M'Connell; **Ira**, David Mallory; **Tinmouth**, Stephen Mowrey; **Chittenden**, Justus Powers; **Rutland**, Nathan Osgood, Ohio Company, Joseph Olmstead, Joseph Ormsbury [Ormsby], Nathaniel Page, John Page; **Medway**, John Page; **Westhaven**, William Patterson; **Clarendon**, Abner Perry; **Rutland**, Edward Ruggles, Joseph Reynolds, Roswell Rowley, Phinehas Rice; **Clarendon**, Randall Rice; **Rutland**, Syrenus Swift, John Smith & Co., Isaac Southworth; **Clarendon**, Zebulon Spaulding, Solomon Smith, Noah Shepardson; **Tinmouth**, Susanna Sherman; **Pittsfield**, Jonas Stone; **Rutland**, Christopher Webber, Lucy Willard, Joseph Whipple; **Pittsford**, Amos Weller. Thomas Hooker, P.M.

Died Woodstock, 4 inst., Samuel Stow, 29.

Died this village, Sun. last, child of Abel Cheney.

Rutland, Abner Moon sells sole leather.

Cure for obstinate cold in the lungs, Horehound, Elcampane, Comfrey, honey licorice, sugar, lemon.

Probate, Stephen Jenner, Pittsfield.

Wed., 25 Oct. 1809: [missing]

Wed., 1 Nov. 1809:

Shoreham, Alanson Treadway ad for new mill and shop recently erected by him for cloth dressing a few rods below Rich's mills.

Salisbury, Jeremiah Rockwell, Jr. ad to sell Tan Yard and Bark Mill and small house.

Granville, NY Tavern for sale, used as Tavern for 29 years; 60 miles from Troy on northern Turnpike Road leading from VT; 150 acres, 200 apple trees, commodious house, barns, stables, stream running past front door and through barnyard, Cornelius Brownson and James Merritt. Brownson also has for sale small framed house and barn and 50 acres on Main Road from Lake Champlain in Westhaven, VT. Interested persons should call on Wm. Pattison on the premises or Brownson in Granville.

Probate, Charles Wilder, late of Barre, MA, has land in Shrewsbury, VT which will be sold, Charles Wilder, administrator.

Probate, Daniel Smith, Sudbury.

Probate, Seely Brown, Pawlet.

Clarendon, noted farm formerly owned by Elihu Smith, Esq. for sale, 300 acres; 200 acres on intervalle, also woodland, large elegant brick house. Intervalle inundated by Otter Creek each spring leaving land fertile; creek runs around intervalle almost in a bow and is fenced on two sides, one of best farms in U.S. Also has good farm in Pittsfield, MA, Wm. Caldwell.

Mt. Holly, George Beald's wife, Hitty, has left him.

Married this town, Sun. eve last, by Rev. Ball, Abel Page, Miss Zilpha Barns.

Wed., 8 Nov. 1809:

Proposals for printing *The Toriad*, a poetical, political satire by Paschal Pantomime, notice to be given to Farnsworth & Churchill, the publishers at Windsor, VT.

Rutland, John Daniels had horse strayed or stolen from Ralph Paige's pasture.

Dr. S. Fancher has left Kine Pox Infection for vaccination with Dr. Levi Simmons of St. Albans.

Gov. Jonas Galusha names 1<sup>st</sup> Thurs. of Dec. as a day of Thanksgiving and Praise, day of prayer, no recreation or work done on this day.

Amasa P. Hosmer of Chester had mare lost from Capt. Henry Hodges. Please return to Daniel Onion of Clarendon or subscriber.

Married Pawlet, 26 ult., Joel Doolittle, Esq. of Middlebury, Miss Sally Fitch of former place.

Married Poultney, 23 ult., Stephen Morse, Miss Eunice Frisbie.

Married Fairfax, 15 ult., Abram Knapp 3d of Burlington, Miss Soloma Farnsworth of former place.

Married Shelburne, 11 ult., Peter Castle of Burlington, Miss Polly Wilson of former place.

Married Lebanon, CT, Benjamin Siliman, Esq., Professor of Chemistry and Natural History at Yale College, Miss Harriet Trumbull, dau. of late Gov. Trumbull.

Died this town, 30 ult., son of Mr. Jackson, ae 8 yrs.; on 3d, a son of Mr. J.,[sic], ae 4 yrs.

Pittsford, Caleb Hendee lost six cattle.

Divorce, Keziah Austin of Middletown vs. Harrington Austin, formerly of Middletown, married 29 Nov. 1791; deserted her Feb. 1805; adultery.

Divorce, Sylvia Fargo of Georgia, Franklin Co., VT vs. Eusebeus Fargo, married 11 Feb. 1803 by Reuben Fuller, J.P. He was formerly of St. Albans, left her June 1804. He is now in Hamilton, NY and has married Polly Brewster.

Wed., 15 Nov. 1809: [missing]

Wed., 22 Nov. 1809:

Married Shelburne, 5 inst., John Anderson, Miss Abial Comestock, dau. of Capt. Daniel Comestock of that town.

Died Shelburne, 5 inst., Rev. Bethuel Chittenden, 70. He rode to a place of public worship where he was to preach, but died a moment before. He was brother of late Governor.

Died Wilmington, DE, Samuel White, Esq., Senator to Congress from that state.

Poem, General Stark's Volunteer.

Wed., 29 Nov. 1809:

Report on counties of Vermont, Rutland Co. has 170,200 yards cotton and linnen, 143,040 woolen, 20[?26] clothiers works, 18 carding machines, three furnaces, six forges; mentions copperas mines at Strafford and marble works at Middlebury.

Meeting at Josiah Lockwood's in Sunderland. John A. Graham, NY.

Divorce petition, Dolly Stearns of Rutland vs. Benjamin Stearns, married 15 Apr. 1798, he then of Clarendon, adultery and desertion.

Divorce petition, Hannah Loomis of Poultney vs. Alpheus Loomis, married Franklin Co., Alburgh, 1801, by George Babcock; Alpheus then of Alburgh, Jan. 1805 he deserted.

Death of Merriwether Lewis, same as in *Vermont Courier*.

Married Hartford, NY, 9 inst., Obadiah Noble, Jr., Esq., attorney of Tinmouth, Miss Nancy Mason of former place.

Died this town, 5 inst., Ebenezer Blanchard, 26.

Died this town, 7<sup>th</sup>, James Freeman, 25.

Died this town, 9<sup>th</sup>, Miss Cybel Pratt, 36.

Died this town, 15<sup>th</sup>, Walter Blanchard, 32.

Died Richmond, 3 inst., M.[?Mr.] Elijah Arnold, 40.

Green Mt. Turnpike meeting at James Stiles in Cavendish. Uriel C. Hatch, Proprietors' Clerk, Cavendish.

Wed., 6 Dec. 1809: [first two pages missing]

Long article on suicide of Merriwether Lewis, Governor General of Upper Louisiana, dated 20 Oct., Nashville, of Lewis and Clark expedition.

Morristown, NJ, dated 7 Nov., Dr. W.M. Boyles and his wife of Long Hill were shot from someone outside the house as they sat around the fire. Both critical.

Married Vergennes, 12 ult., Warren Loomis, Esq. of Burlington, Miss Nancy Fitch, dau. of Jabez, Esq. of former place.

Died Shelburne, 15 inst., Roswell Miner, 56.

Died Waitsfield, 3 ult., Samuel Barnard, 57.

Died Waitsfield[?], 2 ult., Mrs. Elizabeth Wilder, 61, wife of Daniel W. Wilder.

Died Middlebury, 4 ult., Mrs. Sally Goodrich, 27, wife of Jonathan.

Rutland, Probate Court will be held at Henry Gould's. Caleb Hendee, Jr., Judge of Probate.

Castleton, John Mason found stray heifer.

Shrewsbury, Abel Willoby found stray steer.

Middlebury, Dr. M'Farland, a trader of this town, was at Orwell a few days ago. Samuel Humphrey gave him \$1,000 to pay at Bank at Middlebury on note that was due. M'Farland kept money for his own use.

James Q. M'Farland gives very long explanation. Moses Leonard also gives testimony agreeing with M'Farland. Attested to by Martin Post, J.P., Middlebury.

Vermont Mining & Smelting Co., enacted by Legislature Oct. 1809, will hold meeting at Josiah Lockwood's in Sunderland, VT. Signed by John A. Graham, NY.

Rutland, Abner Moon has leather for sale at his tanyard.

Samuel Lee, patentee of Windham Billious Pills by his attorney, I. Thompson, offers \$300 reward for someone circulating spurious pills.

Probate, Calvin Colegrove, Middletown, at Inn of Jeremiah Leffingwell.

Wed., 13 Dec. 1809:

Strafford, VT, Stephen Couch, Stephen H. Whiting, Joseph R. Newell, Simon Eastman sell copperas at their factory.

Castleton, Langdons & Hart ad for flax seed.

Divorce, Artemas Robbins of Orwell vs. Eve Robbins of parts unknown, married Feb. 1809, adultery and desertion.

Married Pittsford, eve 7 inst., by Rev. Holland Weeks, Rev. John Denison of Jerico, Miss Lucretia Kellogg, dau. of Gen. Amos Kellogg of Pittsford.

Middlebury, A.D. Schuyler replies at length to M'Farland's letter. M'Farland gives his view on Schuyler's letter.

Rutland, Asa Hale ad, wants flaxseed [he makes linseed oil from the flaxseed].

Wed., 20 Dec. 1809: [missing]

Wed., 27 Dec. 1809: [missing]

Wed., 3 Jan. 1810: [missing]

Wed., 10 Jan. 1810:

Rutland, list of books for sale by W. Fay.

Clarendon, Henry Hodges and Caleb Hall [formerly Hogg] have entered into partnership.

Rutland, First Medical Society of Vermont will meet at Samuel Gordon's. John Cleveland, Sec.

Castleton, cannot do business with Job Stiles, has no written agreement; Bliss Stiles will not be responsible for Job's bills.

Rutland, Lothrop & Lawton Store, long list of good.

Rutland, Masonic Grand Royal Arch Chapter elects officers: M.E., Ozias Fuller, G.H.P.; M.E., John Chipman, D.G.H.P.; M.E., Carter Hickok, G.K.; M.E., Wm. S. Cardell, G.S.; W., Nichols Goddard, G. Sec.; W., Benj. Lord, G. Treas.; Rev., Reuben Hebard, G. Chaplain; Erastus Watrous, G. Marshall; Sturgis Penfield, Thomas Tupper, G. Stewards; Nichols Goddard, G. Visitor; Asa Graves, G. Sentinel.

Wallingford, Lent Ives appointed agent for *Herald*.

Rutland, Nichols Goddard ad for apprentice watch and clockmaker.

Probate, will of Ebenezer Williams of Sharon approved by probate at Woodstock.

Rutland, Daniel Greeno's store, goods list.

Mt. Holly, George Bealds has 216 acre farm for sale in Mt. Holly, low house 30x27, barn 42x30, orchard of 230 trees, one mile north of Shunpike and  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile from sawmill and gristmill.

List of letters at Rutland Post Office: **Rutland**, Solomon Abbot, Joseph Barney, John Bissell, Timothy Blanchard, John Babbit, William Bowen, Mamre Bostwick, William Baker, Samantha Baldwin; **Shrewsbury**, William Bond; **Chittenden**, Phebe Buck; **Philadelphia**, John Bancroft; **Clarendon**, Joseph Bishop; **Rutland**, Abner Cheney, Isaac Chatterton, Harry Chipman, Thos. Chamberlain; **Clarendon**, Jabez Colvin; **Rutland**, William Dutton, John Daniels, Thomas Dunning, William Dunning; **Clarendon**, William Davis, James Eddy, D.I. French; **Pittsford**, Nahum Green; **Rutland**, Lemuel Haynes, Hibbert & Parsons; **Pittsford**, Oliver Heacock; **Rutland**, Amos Jones, Levi Long, Joseph Learned, Amey Matthewson, John Medcalf, Joseph Morey, Samuel Mott; **Rochester**, Geo. W. Martin; **Clarendon**, Chloe M'Cullar, Sally M'Kee; **Tinmouth**, Orange M'Cluer; **Rutland**, William Page, John Page, Abel Page, Marcy Palmer; **Shrewsbury**, Charles Pratt; **Chittenden**, Justus Powers; **Clarendon**, David Potter, Abner Perry; **Rutland**, Wm. Rand, Phinehas Rice, Peter Southerland, David Stannard, Theodore Sheldon, Joel Strong, Elisha Smith; **Sudbury**, Charles Stuart; **Rutland**, Joseph Whipple, Adam Willis, Caleb Whipple, Stephen M. Wheelock; **Pittsford**, Daniel Warren; **Clarendon**, Silas Whitney, Jeremiah Wilcox, James Wright. Thomas Hooker, P.M.

Rutland, Ebenezer Andrews and Elvin Andrews ask customers to pay up.

Poultney Turnpike meeting at Silas Lovel's; Elisha Ashley, Clerk.

Map of Vermont, James Whitelaw, Ryegate.

Wed., 17 Jan. 1810:

Rutland, Leonard E. Lathrop, attorney, says Jeremiah Hickok of Sheffield, MA had two actions in Rutland County Court, Nov. 1808, one against Elisha Freeman of Sheffield and Elkanah Freeman of New York; the other against Elisha Freeman. Hickok died and Durlin Hickok and Stephen Dewey of Sheffield are his executors.

Probate, Jonathan Parker, Clarendon, administrators Eleazer Flagg and Rufus Parker file appeal.

Bridport, Barnabas Myrick found stray steers.

Orwell, Wm. Warren found stray colt.

Benson, Northrop Rockwell and Aaron Preast dissolve partnership.

Tinmouth, Wait Rathbone's Furnace is in blast.

Job Bailey, pay the post for *Rutland Herald*;

Rutland, Wm. Fay, Capt. of 4<sup>th</sup> Co., 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt., 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division, ask if any young gentlemen would like to be instructed on the Drum or Fife this winter.

Died Burlington, 1 inst., Dr. Matthew Cole, 49.

Married Orwell, 27 ult., Joseph S. Stacy of Benson, Miss Almirah Griswold of former place.

Married Burlington, 31 ult., Chauncey R. Johnson, Miss Nancy Lathrop.

Married Charlotte, 13 ult., Hezekiah Bissell, Miss Lois Yale.

Wed., 24 Jan. 1810:

Montague, MA, perished in the woods on night of 1 inst. [Dec.], Cyrus Gunn, four years, son of Joseph of Montague. In A.M. went to home of friend, a son of Elisha Root, Jr. Mr. Gunn went after him a couple hours later, but he had left for home. Got lost. Everyone searched, found the next morning dead under a tree.

Shoreham, Nath'l N. Wallace, 18 years, ran away from his father, Isaiah, leaving him with debts to pay.

Wed., 31 Jan. 1810:

Rutland, First Medical Society of Vermont to meet at Samuel Gordon's to establish a medical library.

Tinmouth, John Collins, Jr.'s wife, Susannah, left.

Supreme Court opens in Rutland.

New Haven, fire on Sat. night last week; Preserved Wheeler's tanner and shoemaker's shop burned.

Married Pittsford, Thurs. last, Phinehas Kingsley, Jr. of this town, Miss Parlia [Parnell] Keith of former place.

Married Shoreham, 28 ult., Tully C. Page, Miss Martha Stewart.

Married Montpelier, Alex Ralston, Jr. of Bethel, Miss Mary Ann Hosmer.

Died Milton, 12 inst., Deacon Abishai Moseley, 75<sup>th</sup> yr., formerly of Poultney.

Died Shelburne, 17 inst., Capt. Benjamin Harrington, 48<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died this town, 22 inst., infant of Silas Willis, Jr.

Died this town, 27<sup>th</sup>, infant of Warham Wheedon.

Wed., 7 Feb. 1810:

Philadelphia, ox raised near New Haven, CT weighed alive at 3,300 lbs.; four hogs belonging to Elias Wright of Burlington weighed alive at Philadelphia market, 3,031 lbs.

Thetford, VT, night of 11 Jan. inst., between 11 and 12, Samuel Robertson and wife of Thetford were returning home from a visit a mile away; crossed small bridge near west branch of Ompompanoosuck River, backed up ice swept cutter off bridge into furious stream. He caught hold of horse's bridle and was saved. She drowned.

Died this town, morning of 3 inst., Stephen Seward, 55.

Died Dana, Worcester Co., MA, Thomas Templar, 37, well on 21<sup>st</sup>, dead next day. Five adults and several children died of same disorder within a week: Simeon Gleason, 43; Jonas Hall, 23; Jonathan Whitmore, 27; John Johnson, no age; Miss Sally Tolman, 17. Mr. Whitmore well at work, dead next year. Miss Tolman was at his funeral and died following day. Town is in terror. The cause unknown, seems like spotted fever. Sudden stoppage of circulation of blood, some become speechless, yellow and purple spots appear in a few hours.

Wed., 14 Feb. 1810: [part removed]

NH, destructive gale, Fri., 19 inst. [Jan.], in New Hampton house blew down, family of husband, wife and three children escaped and fled in a sleigh; it was blown to pieces, one child could not be found, others frozen to death, parents much frostbitten. In Holderness Hon. Arthur Livermore's large barn was blown down and four oxen killed.

Rutland, Supreme Court's indictments: Joshua June, theft, pled guilty, three years in prison at Windsor; Joseph Bevens, counterfeiting, pled guilty, ten years at Windsor; Elijah Remington, convicted of counterfeiting, ten years at Windsor. More on Remington.

Lake Champlain, salt water seal, 70 lbs., was killed.

Married Clarendon, Thurs. eve last by Rev. M'Colly [M'Cullar], Dan. H. Benjamin of Tinmouth, Miss Anne Greene of former place.

Married Middletown, Sun. eve last, Matthew Fenton, Jr. of Ellisburgh, NY, Miss Lucretia Clark of former place.

Died Southbury, CT, 30 ult., Mrs. Polly Matilda Mosely, sister of Judge Graham and brother, of this town. Drowned 17 inst. in M'Quam Bay while attempting to cross on ice from Grand Isle to Swanton, a stranger c. 50 years, 5 feet 5 or 6", dark hair, beginning to grow gray; had on lots of clothes which can be found at John Asselatin's in Swanton.

Information wanted on James Wiman, Jr., 21, who sailed from Boston six years ago and captured by British. Escaped two months ago from Halifax. Went to look for his father who had moved from Boston to Westminster, MA, afterwards to VT.

Wed., 21 Feb. 1810:

More on NH gale of 19 Jan. Tells how Jeremiah Ellsworth's house blown in at Sandbarton. He left wife and three children home and went to neighbor David Brown for help. Brown went to get the wife and children. Sleigh blown apart, three children perished (two of them after he carried them to his house), wife and husband made it, but were frostbitten. Long article.

Orwell, Sun. eve last, Mr. Bisbee's house in north part of Orwell burned.

*Rutland Herald* will be delivered at Meeker's Tavern in Hubbardton by Troy and Middlebury Stage.

Married Hardwick, MA, 5 inst., by Rev. Weston, Livy Lawton of this town, Miss Mary Mandell of former place.

Died this village, 14 inst., Col. Wm. Page, formerly of Charlestown, NH, 61.

Died Middlebury, 8 inst., Mrs. Hannah Ford, wife of Daniel, 58<sup>th</sup> year.

Died Weybridge, 8 inst., Mrs. Betsey Bell, wife of Capt. Amos Bell.

Died St. Albans, 8 inst., Daniel Ryan, Esq., 54.

Died Enosburgh, Hon. Amos Fassett, Esq., one of the Judges of the Franklin County Court.

Died Brattleboro, 4 inst., Franklin Holbrook, 18.

Probate, Samuel Turner, Tinmouth, at house of Tilly Ballard.

Wed., 28 Feb. 1810:

VA, John Roane, Jr. of VA murdered his wife on 18 Jan. by cutting her throat after being married only two months.

Married Burlington, 10 inst., Jeronimus Seeger, Miss Sally Pearl.

Died Pittsfield, MA, 10 inst., Rev. Thomas Allen, 67, pastor of Congregational Church, etc.

Windsor [VT], escaped prison on 20 inst, four convicts: Samuel Hemingway, 53; Daniel Wilbour, 36; William Gilman, 27; Ezekiel Flanders, 23; in prison uniform of green and red. Thomas Leverett, Superintendent.

State Prison [Windsor, VT] manufactures nails, Windsor chairs, shoes, spinning wheels.

Rutland, Thomas Hooker and Thomas Tupper dissolve partnership.

Dover, NH, Robert and Sally Stevens have triplets, aged 2½ years old, named George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, and John Adams.

Rutland, Daniel Greeno moves store to north lower room of W. Fay's Printing Office.

Wed., 7 Mar. 1810:

Middlebury, Rev. Henry Davis was ordained 21<sup>st</sup> inst. introductory to his inauguration of President of Middlebury College, etc. Rev. Heman Ball [Rutland], a fellow of the institution, gave prayer at conclusion.

Married Bridport, 20 ult., by Wm. Myrick, Esq., Jonathan Johnson, Miss Susan Burwell, "When spring's celestial bloom arrives, The aged lads then get them wives, For which I'm told they give this reason, They mean to make a fruitful season."

Died Pittsford, 27 ult., Col. Benjamin Cooley, an old and respectable inhabitant.

Died Pittsford of spotted fever, Capt. John Sprague of Bedford, MA, 53.

Died Westhaven, 25 ult., Apollos Smith, 53.

Died Middlebury, 8 ult., Mrs. Mary Brooks, 82, relict of Benjamin Brooks, formerly of Northfield, MA. Drowned, 19 ult., in Lake Champlain, Elijah Kirkum, Esq., wife and young child of Whiting. Were traveling north in a sleigh on the ice; when passing large crack not far from Col. Allen's on South Hero, mother and child fell into water which was only four feet deep. While helping them, Mr. Kirkum fell in.

Ice too steep to get out. Cries heard by two young men at Col. Allen's who brought a pole; it was two feet too short. The couple told them to get a rope from Allen's. When the men got back all were lifeless. It is astonishing none thought of adding clothing to lengthen pole. Mr. Kirkum was a member of the Legislature. Bodies brought to Whiting for interment. Elder Green preached at the funeral before a large assembly.

Westhaven, Brigade Court Martial at Reuben Hyde's before: President, Lt. Col. Nath'l Crary, 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt., 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division; Maj. Gershom Cheney of Cavalry, 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division; Capt. John Ruggles of Cavalry, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division; Capt. William Fay, Capt. Jonas Clark, Jr., Capt. Peter Powers, Capt. Robert Beal, Capt. Joseph Loveland, Capt. Rufus Parker, Lt. Allen Penfield, Ens. Nathan Jenner, 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt., 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division; Lt. Nathaniel Paige, Lt. Amos Crippin, Cavalry, 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division; Maj. Ch. K. Williams of 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt., 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division, Division Judge Advocate. Court martial Capt. Clement Smith on four charges, found guilty on one charge, no punishment given. Caleb Hendee, Jr., Brigadier General, 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division.

Rutland, Thomas Hooker, Drugs and medicines and painters' colors.

Clarendon, Christopher Pierce found a stray heifer.

Probate, Nathaniel Tower, Ira, at house of Daniel Graves.

Westhaven, Eliada Orton advertises his son Amasa, under age, has left home.

Wed., 14 Mar. 1810:

Married Mt. Holly, 17 ult., Leonard Bennett, Miss Abigail Willard.

Died this village, yesterday, Mrs. Anne Prentiss, wife of Capt. John, 60.

Died Mt. Holly, 5 ult., Ezra Willard, 24.

Died Richmond, 19 ult., Deacon John Chamberlain, 90<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Shelburn, 21 ult., Mrs. Catharine Vanarnam, 38, wife of Jacob.

Died Dunham, L.C., Mr. Spafford, son of Gen. Jonathan Spafford of Williston.

Died St. Albans, Deacon Elisha Baker of Sheldon, c. 55.

Died Burlington, 22 ult., Eliab Forbes.

Died Burlington, on same day, Mrs. Moulthrop, wife of Silas.

Died Burlington, 23 ult., Dancks King, son of Josiah, 8<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Burlington, 27<sup>th</sup>, John Callender, c. 70.

Died Burlington, 28<sup>th</sup>, Miss Sally Cole, 36.

Died Burlington, same day, Reed Bascom of Swanton.

Died Burlington, 1<sup>st</sup> inst., Mrs. Chloe Smith, wife of Hon. Noah of Burlington, 50.

Wed., 21 Mar. 1810:

Married Highgate, 27 ult., Elihu How of this town, Miss Siloma Locklin of Dunham, L.C.

Died Albany, 19 ult., Jeremiah Van Rensselaer, Esq., late Governor of NY, 70<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Hartland, Benjamin Jaquith, 72.

Died Westford, 20 ult., Capt. Wm. Henry, 43.

Died Highgate, James Wilson, 30.

Died this town, 19 ult., infant of Thomas Hale.

Long testimonial to life of Anna Prentiss, wife of Capt. John of this village.

West Rutland, David Jackson's mare has strayed, notify him at William Jackson, Ticonderoga.

Wed., 28 Mar. 1810:

Masonic notice, Smith Gully of Addison and Josiah Colburn of Crown Point expelled from Morning Sun Lodge #18, at meeting at Bridport. Richard Carrique, Secretary.

Spotted fever prevails in Worcester County, MA, 12 or 15 new cases at Petersham, eight persons have been buried there in two days.

Married Danby, 11 inst., Warren Odel, Jr. of Orwell, Mrs. Susanna Brown of Danby.

Married Huntsburgh, Gideon Wales, Miss Sally Owen of Canada.

Married Huntsburgh, Jeremiah Mitchel, Miss Clarissa Woodward of ditto.

Married Huntsburgh, Robert Willard, Miss Meryby Cunningham.

Married Huntsburgh, Phillip Fowler, Miss Polly Farnum.

Married Huntsburgh, Jeremiah Traver, Miss Rebecca Powers.  
Married St. Armand, David Krone, Miss Catherine Mower, both of that place.  
Died Orwell, 6 inst., of typhus fever, Benson Hunt, 25.  
Died Shoreham, 19 ult., of typhus fever, Truman Bateman, 44.  
Died Mt. Holly, 27 ult., Thankful, dau. of Capt. Zacheus Prescott, of typhus fever, 9.  
Died Middletown, Henry Walton.  
Died Woodstock, Abel Emmons, 77.  
Died Rockingham, Quartus Morgan, Esq., P.M.  
Died Monson, MA, Joseph Sessions, member of Junior Class of Burlington College.  
Died Malone, NY, 28 ult., Winant Williamson, formerly of Cornwall, VT.  
Died Enosburgh, David Fassett, 53.  
Died Enosburgh, Mrs. Betsey Goiden, wife of Mr. J., 40; same day, Daniel son of Mr. Goiden.  
Died St. Armand, Silas Whitney, late of Clarendon, VT.  
Died Boston, 14 inst., James Lloyd, Esq., M.D., 82.  
Killed by overturning of a sleigh, 9 inst., Mrs. Purington, wife of James of Lincoln.  
Probate, Reuben Billings, Hubbardton, at house of Benjamin Caldwell.  
Probate, Richard Mortin, Orwell, at house of Joab Smith.

Wed., 4 Apr. 1810:

Married Sudbury, 13 ult., Rufus Little, Miss Sally Brown.  
Died this village, 29 ult., Mrs. Charity Chipman, wife of Gustavus D. Chipman, 22, long poem mentions husband and her "infant image."  
Died Westhaven, 2 ult., Widow Betsey Wyman, 66.  
Died Westhaven, 17 ult., Mrs. Roxy Allen, wife of Reuben, 30, long.  
Died Benson, 17 ult., John Shaw, 55, for some years had a rose cancer in the right breast.  
Died Georgia, 27 ult., Ephraim Woods, 36.  
Killed in Middletown, 24 ult., by rolling log, child of John Caswell, 4.  
List of letters at Rutland Post Office: **Rutland**, Solomon Abbot, Amy Atwood, Heman G. Barlow, Priscilla Blanchard, Wm. Bowen, Abijah Bigelow; **Clarendon**, Dorcas Bevens; **Tinmouth**, Phebe Blakeley; **Rutland**, Rufus Clark, Bezaleel Culver, Abel Cheney; **Clarendon**, James Crocker; **Philadelphia**, Seth Churchill; **Tinmouth**, Caleb Durham; **Clarendon**, Tho's Eddy; **Rutland**, Catherine Fessenden, Matthew Fenton, James Freeman, Dorcas Fasset; **Clarendon**, Elea'r Flagg, Ephraim Fales; **Rutland**, Nathan B. Graham, Nehemiah Gates; **Clarendon**, Lucy Gibson, Ann Green, Peleg Green; **Rutland**, John Holbrook, Jacob Hobbs, Amos Hewett, Rev. Lem'l Haynes; **Sherburne**, Lewis Harlow; **Clarendon**, Henry Hodges; **Pittsford**, Stephen Hoit; **Rutland**, Timothy Kimball, Samuel King, Perly Keyes; **Clarendon**, Jesse King; **Shrewsbury**, Nath'l Keyes; **Rutland**, Rufus Long, Levi Long, Joseph Learned, Eben, Lewis, Joseph Mason, Abner Mead, Abner Moon; **Clarendon**, Wm. M'Culler; **Pittsford**, John Merriam; **Rutland**, James Platt, Benj. Pratt, Hannah Paige, Clarisa Paige, Wm. Rand, Benj. [Benajah] G. Roots, Abel Robinson, Sam'l Randall, Eli Ripley, Roger Rose, Rice, Fuller & Hodges; **Westhaven**, Mrs. M.L. Richards; **Corinth**, Samuel Richardson; **Rutland**, Israel Smith, Asa Squire, Cephas Smith, Jr., Peter Southerland; **Clarendon**, Noah Shephardson; **Pittsfield**, Joseph Safford; **Brandon**, Roger Starkweather; **Rutland**, Sam'l Tooley; **Clarendon**, John Torrence, Josias Tanner; **Rutland**, Rev. Samuel Williams, Caleb Whipple, Christ'r Webber, Sam'l Walker, Timo. Willard, Warham Wheedon; **Clarendon**, Benj. Whitney; **Rutland**, Lucy Young.  
Wallingford, Job Irish lost a colt.  
Orwell, Jacob Phelps named guardian of Elnathan Phelps, deranged.  
Fairhaven, Joshua Quinton ad to sell his farm in Castleton 4½ miles from Fairhaven village, 200 acres, two houses, barns, orchard and sawmill and is good situation for a forge, also sells white pine boards.  
Hubbardton, Lewis Drury and Kenelm Winslow dissolve partnership.  
Rutland, Livy Lawton and Abijah Lothrop dissolve partnership, Lawton carries on store.

Wed., 11 Apr. 1810:

Sudbury, Jacob Goodail, Jr.'s wife, Elizabeth, has left him.  
Benson, J. Nearing and Jonah Gleason dissolve partnership.

Married St. George, 14 ult., Burges Hall, Esq. of Shelburn, Miss Olive Hawley of former place.  
Married Berkshire, 18 ult., Dr. William Sanford of Richford, Miss Sophia Bingham of former place.  
Married Swanton, Phillip Hall, Miss Archsah Barber.  
Married Huntsburgh, 14 ult., Abel Jewett, Esq., Miss Sally Holmer of Broom, L.C.  
Married Huntsburgh, John Lockwood of Dunham, Miss Polly Wison [sic] of Huntsburgh.  
Married East Haddam, CT, 1 Jan. last, nine young ladies, being all girls marriageable in that town.  
Married Georgetown, 22 Feb., Hon. William B. Giles, Senator in Congress, Miss Frances Ann Gwynn,  
dau. of late T.P.[?] of VA.  
Died this village, 7 inst., Chauncy Fenn of Middletown, 37.  
Died this village, yesterday morning, Mrs. Mary Page, wife of William, Jr., Esq., 25.  
Died Shrewsbury, 30 ult., Mrs. Hannah Marsh, wife of Wm., Esq., 44.  
Died Burlington, 26<sup>th</sup> ult., Phinehas Loomis, Esq., 62.  
Died St. Albans, 26 ult., Miss Cheba B. Harmon, 31.  
Died St. Albans, 23 ult., in jail at St. Albans, Samuel Smith, 30.  
Died Georgia, 26 ult., Titus Teat, 30.  
Died Georgia, on morning following under same roof, Mrs. Evetts, wife of James, Esq., 58.  
Died Sheldon, Mrs. Eletharp, wife of John, 32.  
Died Swanton, Major George W. Foster, 38.  
Died Fairfax, 22 ult., Sophia, wife of Dr. David Tracy, 25.  
Died Fairfax, 26<sup>th</sup>, under same roof, Widow Eunice Tracy, 62.  
Died St. Albans, 31 ult., Josiah Brigham, 24.  
Died Petersham of spotted fever now prevailing in MA, Dr. John Flint, 31; attacked 27 Feb. at 2 A.M., died  
8 P.M. Same day, his dau., Lydia, attacked at 11 A.M., died 8 P.M., ae 8. Mar. 1, youngest dau., Sally,  
attacked at 9 A.M., died at 6 P.M., ae 3 yrs. Eight persons buried at Petersham in eight days and 12 or 15  
occurred on Thurs., 15 inst.  
Died Greenbush, NY, Mrs. Cornelia Tappen Genet, wife of E.C. Genet, Esq., and dau. of George Clinton,  
Esq., Vice President of U.S., in 35<sup>th</sup> yr.  
Died Philadelphia, Charles B. Brown, Editor of the *American Register*.  
Probate, Sarah Smith, Clarendon, John Hills, administrator will sell her small house and half of gristmill in  
West part of Clarendon.  
Deacon Wait Chatterton [Rutland] and Elder Kendrick [Poultney] have been submitting long articles on  
subject of Thanksgiving Fasts. Chatterton's in this issue.

Wed., 18 Apr. 1810:

Rutland, Pearson Freeman wants ashes; he makes potash and pearlash, boils soap and dyes yarn blue.  
Married this town, Sun. eve last, by Rev. Ball, Rufus Long, Miss Sally M'Kenzie.  
Died Castleton, 13 inst., Mrs. Lucy L. Cheney, wife of Hiram and dau. of Capt. Joseph Barney of this  
town, 23.  
Article on spotted fever from *Farmer's Cabinet* says on 12 March, spotted fever is receding.  
Hebron, NY, partnership between Abijah Lothrop and David D. Whitmore dissolved. Whitmore is now in  
store business with Phinehas Hitchcock, Jr.  
Dorset, Stephen Martindale, Jr. again opens a school in Dorset Academy, tuition: \$2-\$3 per quarter.  
Probate, Ezra Willard, Mt. Holly, at inn of Stephen Clark, Esq.

Wed., 25 Apr. 1810:

Danville paper, robbery and intent to murder, Sun., 1 inst., Joseph True in Upper Wheelock, \$1400 taken.  
Also same night, Benjamin Spencer of Littleton, NH, stole a horse from Henry Whitcher of this town and a  
saddle and bridle from Samuel Morrill, Jr. Pursued in upper part of NH and arrested near Canadian border.  
Danville paper, 29 ult., house of Ozias Humphrey of Burke burned, his books and papers saved. Caused  
by candle in chamber. Family, while trying to save belongings froze feet and were burned on arms and  
shoulders. Loss: \$1100.  
Ordinations: Rev. Daniel Haskell, A.M., 10 inst., Calvinistic Congregational Church in Burlington, list of  
speakers; 19 inst., Rev. Samuel Clark, Jr., First Congregational Society of Christians in Burlington.  
Married Middlebury, 15 inst., Justus Foot, Miss Harriet Graham.

Married Whiting, 4 ult., Marvell Parker, Miss Ann Maria S. Beach.  
Married Whiting, 29<sup>th</sup>, Joseph Adams, Miss Betsy Washburn.  
Married New Orleans, Gen. James Wilkinson, c. 56 yrs. to rich, handsome Madamoiselle Trudeau, c. 25.  
All marriages in Orwell within a few weeks:  
Joseph Dewey, Miss Rebekah Rice.  
Isaac Nichols, Miss Sally Babcock.  
Freeman Benson, Miss Sally Barns.  
Joseph Stacy, Miss Elmira Griswold.  
Justus Knapp of Orwell, Miss Hannah Smith of Sudbury.  
Asahel Murray, Miss Polly Murray.  
Isaac Smith, Miss Sally Brown.  
Jacob Ames of Shoreham, Miss Esther Bridge of Orwell.  
Jedediah Griswold, Mrs. ---- Thompson.  
Henry Rice, Esq., Miss Anna Benson.  
Nathan Parks, Miss Keziah Bush.  
Luke Munger of Orwell, Miss Harriet Stacy of Benson.  
Wm. Benson, Miss Pamela Doty.  
Alpheus Rice, Miss Harriet More.  
James Charter of Ticonderoga, Miss Rachel Spencer of Orwell.  
Mr. ---- Downs of Westhaven, Mrs. Huldah Sanford of Orwell.  
Died Middle Hero, 15 inst., James Tobias, 50.  
Died Middle Hero, same day, Harry Davenport, 27.  
Died Westford, David Gale, 43.  
Died Hubbardton, 6 inst., Mrs. Catherine Pier, wife of Chauncy of Middlebury, 39.  
Died Chateaugay, NY, 19 ult., Capt. Elisha Yemans of Essex, 35.  
Drowned, eve 4 ult., Myron Newell, eldest son of Nathaniel Newell, Esq. of Charlotte, 28<sup>th</sup> yr. Crossing lake from Willsborough [NY] to Charlotte [VT] in a sleigh and fell into crack in ice about half mile from last shore. Body found on 7<sup>th</sup>, survived by widow.  
Exhibition at Brandon Academy.  
Rutland, Moses Strong, attorney, now occupies office lately occupied by Darius Chipman, Esq., three doors south of Courthouse.  
Mt. Holly, Richard Rouell's wife, Susanna, has broken marriage covenant and run him into debt.  
Probate, Dr. Socrates Hotchkiss, Wells, Widow Mary Anne.  
[Clarendon] Spencer Briggs has stud horse, The Spy, at Capt. Willis Hodges at Clarendon, will then go to Capt. Charles Wells, Wallingford. His dam owned by Jeremiah Briggs. Terms: \$5 to insure a foal, \$3 the season, \$2 a single leap. Will not be responsible for accidents to mares.  
Clarendon, David Potter has stud horse, Eclipse, at Joshua Harrington's at West Clarendon and Capt. Daniel Graves at Ira. Abel Potter has charge of horse.  
Castleton, A.W. Hyde requests payment for overdue bills or Chauncy Langdon, Esq. will collect them.

Wed., 2 May 1810:

Rutland, list of books for sale at *Herald* Office, W. Fay.  
From *NH Patriot*, No. 1, biographical sketch of Gen. John Stark, long.  
Boston paper, due to exertions made by Cornelius Coolidge and Francis J. Oliver, 45 full-blooded Merino Sheep have arrived from Lisbon on ship Edward.  
Benson, Aaron Preast asks debtors to pay him.  
Probate, Abel Hunt, Parkerstown, at Benj. Farner's.  
Brandon, Hervey Finney has stud horse, Hamlet, at Capt. J. Simons in Brandon, was imported by Capt. Charles Hamlet to Long Island.  
Married this town, Sun. eve last, by Rev. Ball, Reuben Washburn of Homer, NY, Miss Lucy Graves of former place.  
Married Clarendon, 19 ult., Daniel Chaplain[?Chaplin], Miss Lucinda Arnold.  
Married Berkshire, ME, Humphrey K. Jewett, Miss Thankful Clark.  
Married Kingston, MA, George Thomas, 18, Miss Maria W. Foster, 15.

Married Scipio, NY, Jonathan Woodworth, 19, Miss Elen Cummings, 11!  
Died Middlebury, 17 ult., Samuel Miller, Esq., 46.  
Died Bridport, 18 ult., Asa Hemenway, Esq., in 60<sup>th</sup> yr.  
Died Berkshire, Mrs. Lydia Howe, wife of Ephraim.  
Died St. Albans, Gardner Smith, 23.

Wed., 9 May 1810:  
Bonaparte divorced his wife.  
Probate, Apollo Smith, Westhaven.  
Died Bridport, 17 Mar., Mrs. Rachel Baldwin, wife of Levi, 61.

Wed., 16 May 1810:  
Tinmouth, Jared Ives' wife, Joanna, has left him.  
Mt. Holly, Susanna Rowell [Rouell in earlier papers] says her husband, Richard, has told lies about her and has left her.  
Shoreham, Daniel Baird has house partly finished and 100 acres for sale.  
Probate, Chauncy Fenn, Middletown, at Gideon Fenn's in Rutland.  
Rutland, Elnathan Darling has stud horse, Young Koulikan, formerly owned by Moses Lester.  
Clarendon, Randall Marsh found stray colt.

Wed., 23 May 1810:  
Bonaparte marries again.  
Died Hingham, MA, 9 inst., Major General Benjamin Lincoln, late Collector of Port of Boston, 78.  
Died Constable, NY, Enos Wood, Jr., 21<sup>st</sup> yr.  
Killed instantly by lightning, at Hartland, 26 ult., Mrs. Susannah Washbourn, wife of Willard, 45. Came through house and struck her. Two young women, dau. of Mr. Washbourn, were at chamber window and knocked down, one considerably hurt, *Vermont Republican*.  
Rutland, D. Sheldon wants cherry boards  
Rutland, John Ruggles removes his tailoring business to his house.  
Rutland, establishment of nail factory in village by B. King and A. Wilcox.  
Benson, Peleg Meacham has stud horse, Jehu, at A. W. Hyde's in Castleton, will be removed to Meacham's stable in Benson on turnpike from Orwell to Fairhaven.

Wed., 30 May 1810:  
Rutland, Abel Page, saddler, at his old stand a few rods north of Courthouse, list includes military regalia.  
Found dead body near eastern shore of Lake Champlain near John Barns' in Westhaven, 14 inst., male 5'4", had been in water some time.  
Died Shoreham, 17 inst., Dr. Timothy Page, 53.  
Died Hinesburgh, 4 inst., Widow Abby Calkins, 71.  
Died this town, Sun. last, child of Spencer Patrick, 2 yrs.  
Masonic, at meeting of Washington Lodge No. 7, at Burlington, Abraham Hollenbeck expelled. John Baker, Secretary.  
Divorce, Windsor Co. Court, Betsey Park of Cavendish vs. Wm. Park, married Ashby, MA, 19 Nov. 1797, by Cornelius Waters. Park, late of Claremont, NH, Jan. 1800 deserted her.

Wed., 6 June 1810:  
Biographical Sketch of John Stark, No. II.  
Announcement of death of the *Vermont Courier* under Obituary at age of 1 yr., 10 mos.  
Married this town Thurs. eve last, John Gilmore of Ira, Miss Anna Culver of former place.  
Married Burlington, 26 ult., Samuel Johnson, Miss Mary Waterhouse.  
Married Sheldon, Moses Smith, Miss Lydia Martin.  
Mt. Holly, George Beal's son, George, aged 17, and his dau., Polly, ae 14, ran away.  
Orwell, Bimsley Peters asks those owing him money to pay up.

Pawlet, Wm. Semple named guardian to John Semple, an idle and disorderly person. Wm. will carry on alone at their store.

Shoreham, Charles Rich and Elva Howard, machines for carding wool [most of ad removed from paper, but is included in next issue].

Rutland, new store of George T. Hodges and Henry Gould, Jr.

Died New Haven, 22 inst., Mrs. Sally Howe, wife of Francis, 32<sup>nd</sup> yr.

Died Berkshire, Mrs. Weld, wife of Chester Weld, Esq., 40.

Died Enosburgh, Nuton Dunning, 9 yrs., son of Martin Dunning.

Died Sheldon, Willard Chamberlin, 24.

Died Woodstock, Mrs. Mary Williams, wife of Capt. Phinehas, 74.

Died Woodstock, Ephraim Brewster, one of first settlers of that town.

Died Norwich, Simeon Hunt, 55; Elijah Hunt, 19; Ezra Ensworth, 45; Mrs. Elizabeth Gould, wife of Francis.

Died Weathersfield, Capt. Henry Tolles, 74.

Died Charzy [sic, Chazy, NY], 22 ult., Deacon Calvin Ranson, piling logs in a field with others, gored by ox, horn penetrated five inches exposing bowels, lived 52 hrs., etc., survived by wife and eight children, communicated by Joel Byington.

Rutland, new store, I. [Issachar] Reed & Co.

Wed., 13 June 1810:

Rutland, D. Sheldon, ad for Cherry board at his stand in the north upper floor of the *Herald* office building. Dr. Jenner has vaccinated 6,000 people with cow pock matter, not one took spotted fever.

Ovid, Seneca Co., NY, 24 Apr. last, John Wright, a carpenter, working at Cayuga Lake, saw flock of nine wild geese; fired a gun into flock, killed seven, wounded one.

Died this town, 7 inst., Aaron Thrall, Esq., 47.

Died this town, same day, Mrs. Mary Blanchard, 66.

Died Middletown, 8<sup>th</sup> inst., Jonathan Davison, 41.

Drowned Deerfield, MA, 26 ult., Wm. D. Hornell, 19, member of Williams College, son of Hon. George of Canisteo, Steuben Co., NY; lost his life trying to save another boy from drowning in Deerfield River.

Benson, James Howard, Jr. and Edward S. Howard are operating carding machine built by Samuel and James Howard. David Churchill has joined them in cloth dying business.

Probate, Crispin Bull, Danby, Elijah and Nicholas Bull are executors of his will.

Shoreham, Daniel Baird ad, for sale 100 acres, partly finished house, barn in south part of town.

Rutland, stud horse, Young Koulikan, formerly owned by Moses Lester, will stand at Elnathan Darling's stable.

Wed., 20 June 1810: [part of paper removed]

Married Watertown, NY, 13 ult., Seth Warren, Miss Phylinda Norton.

Married Berkshire, 2 inst., Isaac Churchill, Miss Lydia Rogers of Montgomery.

Married Huntsburgh, 20 ult., David Sanderson, Miss Christian Tillmore.

Married Swanton, Dr. M'Cler, Miss Betsey Brigham.

Married Lebanon, Moody Hall of Cornish, Miss Sally Estabrook of former place.

Married Rowley, MA, Philemon How, Esq., 89, Miss Mary Wise, 98.

Died this village, 18 inst., Joshua Perry, 66.

Died Orwell, 5 inst., Samuel Brewer, 78<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died St. Albans, 8 inst., Miss Mary Curtiss, wife of John, 35.

Died Sheldon, Capt. John Weeks, 31.

Died Sheldon, Rudolphus Durgee, c. 35.

Drowned, 1<sup>th</sup> [sic] inst., Green Plumb, while attempting to cross Lake Champlain on a slab, in a delirious state of mind, from the islands to Milton. Almost across when a gust of wind plunged him into eternity. Brandon, the remains of Aaron Robbins and John Robbins, et al, who fell during the Revolution, will be taken up from burial place and interred in Burying Ground in Brandon on 4 July. Committee: Henry Olin, Penuel Child, David Meriam.

Masonic festival of St. John the Baptist at Brandon, Washington Lodge No. 2, procession will begin at J. Conant's. Elijah Parker, Secretary.

Southington, CT, Roger Whittlesey ad for Merino Rams.

Rutland, Hall & Green store ad.

Rutland, Tupper & Parsons new store, purchased stock of Thomas Hooker.

Rutland, Livy Lawton asks those indebted to late firm of Lothrop & Lawton to pay up.

Probate, Ithamar Hosford, Fairhaven, at house of Royal Dinnes.

Probate, Daniel Marsh, Clarendon, Gurley Marsh and Randall Marsh, administrators.

Brandon, Jacob Cutlar ad, asks what he owes to others and what others owe him, ". . . a man of my age should collect and pay his debts, and know if he has anything left."

Wed., 27 June 1810:

Married Middletown, by Rev. Bigelow, Capt. Samuel Storms of Scaghtikoke, NY, Mrs. Chloe Miner of former place.

West Clarendon, Daniel I. French ad for store goods received from Boston.

Brandon, Isaac Atwood found stray mare.

Rutland, Daniel Greeno moved store to building recently occupied by Lothrop & Lawton, list of goods.

Probate, Josiah Goodrich, Benson.

Probate, Charles Hawkins, Fairhaven, at house of Royal Dinew [not Dinnes as before].

Wed., 4 July 1810

Dated Danville, 16 June, 6 inst., day after annual training, residents from Glover, Barton and Sheffield to dig small drain at northeast end of pond (three miles long, one mile wide) situated in Glover and Greensboro, for a larger water supply to Mr. Wilson's mill in Glover. Mentions LaMoile and Barton Rivers and Lake Memphremagog; water flooded into ditch, rushed on to Barton River, took out Wilson's Mill and flooded 6-8 miles, carried away all bridges on Barton River, covered thousands of acres from 4-16 feet deep with loam, sand and timber, destroyed crops, no lives lost, except a horse and some sheep. Castleton, David Bates found stray colt.

Berkshire Co., MA, E. Herrick has invented portable spinner.

List of letters at Rutland Post Office: **Rutland**, William Baker; **Clarendon**, Phillip Briggs; **Wells**, Peter Blossom; **Rutland**, Nancy Campbell, John Cook, Elizabeth Carpenter; **Brandon**, Russell Churchill; **Fair Haven**, Tho's Christee; **Tinmouth**, Tho's Calkins; **Rutland**, Silas R. Deming, William Dennison, George Dyer, Jr.; **Wallingford**, James R. Duncan; **Chittenden**, William or John Davis; **Pittsfield**, Ebe Durkee; **Rutland**, Jacob Evans, James Ewing, Abigail Edson; **Clarendon**, Frederic Ford, Jr., Mary French; **Sherburne**, N.M. Fuller; **Clarendon**, Lucy Gibson; **Wells**, Nathaniel Grover; **Rutland**, Sally Hawkins, Lemuel Haynes, Elihu How; **Chittenden**, Samuel Harrison, Middletown, Aaron Holden; **Clarendon**, Jonathan Hayes; **Hubbardton**, Abiel D. Hunt; **Rutland**, John R. Johnson; **Tinmouth**, Jeremiah Jones; **Rutland**, Timothy Kimball, Barzilla King, Stephen Kimpton, Amos Lawrence, Barney Lion, Amy Matthewson, Philemon Morey, William G. Millard; **Chittenden**, Nathaniel Newell; **Pawlet**, Tho's T. Newton; **Rutland**, Joseph Ormsby, William Page, Lucy Pratt, Benjamin Pratt; **Middletown**, Benjamin Perry; **Clarendon**, Abner Perry, Seth Perry, Walter B. Parker; **Rutland**, Daniel Russel, William Rand; **Shrewsbury**, Calvin Robinson; **Middletown**, Rufus Richardson; **Mt. Holly**, Simeon P. Read; **Rutland**, Lemuel Stratton, John Shaw, Moses Smedley; **Castleton**, Mary Shattuck; **Clarendon**, Noah Shepardson and Abner Perry, Arima Smith, Mary Sherman; **Philadelphia**, Zenas Smith; **Pittsfield**, Zebedee Sprout; **Rutland**, Erastus L. Tuttle; **Pittsfield**, John Terry; **Shrewsbury**, Daniel Twitchell; **Rutland**, Christopher Webber, John Wallis, Eunice Wyllis, Timothy Willard, Jr.; **Pawlet**, Asa Willy, Timothy Wheeler; **Tinmouth**, Oliver Woodruff; **Shrewsbury**, Lemuel White; **Clarendon**, Benjamin Whitney, Solomon Whitney, Robert Wilbur.

Rutland, Postmaster Thomas Hooker says Post Office is removed to Dr. James Porter's Store, two doors south of Mr. Gove's Tavern.

Probate, John Shaw, Benson, Widow Keziah Shaw.

*History of Vermont*, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition by Samuel Williams, L.L.D., now for sale.

Worcester, MA, Isaiah Thomas, Sr. is writing a history of printing on this continent.

Cincinnati, murder, Mr. Phillips in County of Champaign killed wife. He is now in Urbana jail.

Wed., 11 July 1810: [missing]

Wed., 18 July 1810:

Norfolk [VA], list of U.S. sailors impressed by British on H.M.S. Princess, giving names, births, ages and residence.

Patterson (formerly Franklin), NY, 27 May, house of Lewis Robertson struck by lightning, he and his mother killed, crowd of people on way home from church were in adjoining room and were prostrated.

*Northern Budget*, Hartford, Washington Co. [probably NY], group was felling trees. Asaph Walling, 21<sup>st</sup> yr., did not escape in time, was struck on head and killed.

Notorious Stephen Burroughs transported from Canada to Botany Bay, was pardoned on giving heavy bonds for future conduct.

Died this town, 12 inst., Mrs. Mary M'Connell, 76.

Died Poultney, 7 July inst., Thomas Ashley, Esq., 70. His peace interrupted by Revolution, a founder of the Library, very well-read and knowledgeable, etc., Representative, Civil Magistrate. Long article listing virtues and integrity.

Died Parkerstown [Mendon], 3 inst., Capt. John Vincent, an Indian, aged 95, at John Richardson's, Esq., 1755 had a command in Cognawogga [sic] tribe. He formed the ambuscade that defeated Braddock at Fort du Quesne where Pittsburgh is now located. After Braddock's death, he commanded and contended against Col. Washington. He often said if Braddock would have known the great man [Washington] then advising him and had considered him a soldier, Braddock would not have died; that the Col. harrassed the French and Indians where they supposed themselves to be conquerors, many shot at Washington, but could not kill him. At that time Vincent returned to his tribe. At onset of Revolution his tribe was in British interests, he left them to enlist under Washington, believing that was the desire of the Great Spirit. In 1779 he received Captain's Commission from Washington. He piloted the American troops from Cambridge through Maine to Quebec. Was at Quebec when Montgomery fell. He has since secreted himself in the hills of Sherburne. Legislature of Vermont made him a pensioner. Early educated by a Roman Catholic priest in the French language. [rest of article removed.]

Brigade orders given by Eli Coggswell, Gen., 2<sup>nd</sup> Division, W.D. Smith, Aid de Camp.

Probate, Ephraim Rumsey, Benson, at Enoch Gleason's house.

Probate, Seth Carey's real estate to be sold in Brandon. John Arnold, Executor.

Probate, Col. Benjamin Cooley, Pittsford, Widow Ruth Cooley.

Probate, Joseph Gould, Tinmouth, at Ichabod Shaw's house in Wallingford.

Probate, Enoch Wright, Whitehall, Washington Co., NY, Orin Wright, executor of will, at dwelling of Lewis Drury, Castleton.

Rutland, E. Flagg, Sheriff, offers reward for Israel Grovenor, c. 40 yrs., 5'10", black eyes and dark hair, puts on appearance of a gentlemen. Giles Pierce, same height and coloring, c. 50 yrs., thin, spare man.

Both in jail for civil process, broke out of jail, 6 inst.

Ludlow, long list of goods at W. & D.W. Hall's store.

Poultney, Boodewell Walkins found stray horse.

List of letters at Middlebury Post Office: Middlebury, Louis Andrews, Oliver Beach, John Bostwick, Elijah Buttolphs, Betsey Basset, Fanny Baldwin, Joel Boardman, Bezaleel Brooks, Enoc Corser, Noah Cushman, Louden Case, Demice C. Crane, Capt. Peleg Canada, Joseph Dorrance, Abraham Dunning, Stephen W. Dana, Jeremiah Dewey, Daniel Folsom, Elijah Fletcher, Portius Fuller, William Fort [?Fott], Susan Foster, Lucy Fitch, Amos Goodrich, Ephraim Goodrich, Joel Gasset, Geo. W. Gale, William Gill, John Greeno, Lemuel Goodrich, William Granger, Sabra Garlick, Adin Hall, Solomon Higgins, Philip Haynes, Clarissa Handy, Neram Hubbell, Stephen Holbrook, Joel Harrington, Frederic Holton, Luther Hitchcock, Cooley Hurd, Luther Jackson, Sumner Johnson, Levi Lockwood, John Leonard, Aldia Lovell, Levi Lequina, Thomas Litchfield, Eliphilet Leonard, Martha Lewcus, Daniel O. Morton, Samuel Munger, Andrew Mills, Sally Nichols, Benton Pixley, Ephraim Porter, Daniel P. Parker, Elvin Ripley, Phebe Robinson, Truman Roberts, Moses Severance, William B. Sumner, Betsey Sumner, Stephen Safford, Belinda Smalley, Josiah Stowell, Ruben Stevens, Ann Mary Spencer, Hooker & Tupper, James Vallet, Charles Watson, David Wells, Mattus [?Marcus] A. Ward, Portius Yaller; Cornwall, William Baxter, Sam'l Brown, John Benedict, Rev. Jedediah Bushnell, Elirabet[sic] Hubbard, Ruben Jones, Jeremiah

Rockwell, Elipelet Sampson, John Sacket, Jabez B. Sacket, Daniel Shurman, Henry Greeno, Jr., Ruben Gillett, Nathan Eels, Dortha C. Elsworth, Thomas Beldno [?Beldon], David Warren; **Weybridge**, Samuel Jewett, Rev. Jonathan Hovey, Sylvester Grinel, Wm. Hatch, Samuel Stickney, Daniel Sherman, Amos Bell; **Hancock**, Abel Horey, Abraham Lackey, Peletiah Safford, Levi Darling, Esias Butts; **Bristol**, Benjamin Plumley, Asaph Parmalee; **Starksborough**, Stephen Hart & Son, John Bushnall, Samuel Bushnall; **Kingston**, Joseph Patrick, William Patterson; **Whiting**, Jobe Hutchinson, Asher Nichols, Samuel Fuller, David Clark, Cyrus Carpenter, Amos Clare, Comfort Carpenter; **Shoreham**, Joseph Bailey, Ira Bingham, Elisha Bissell; **Rochester**, Flint & Bond; **Lincoln**, Jona. Preston, Eben'r Palmer, Nathan Hunton[?]; **New Haven**, Samuel Aiken, Warren Bostwick; **Bridport**, Benjamin Burton, John N. Benait; **Addison**, Ira Webb, Azubah Pangborn; **Crown-Point**, NY, Ephraim Ingraham, Jr.; **Leicester**, Joseph Levince, Daniel Rockwell; **Ripton**, Eben'r Collar; **Salisbury**, Ralph Robinson; **Warren**, Elizabeth Eldridge; **Colchester**, Francis Childs.

Wed., 25 July 1810:

Fourth of July celebration at Bridport; oration by E. Barnes.

Bennington, preparations for celebration of battle there on 16 Aug.

Hinesburgh, VT, Feb. 1808, John Burnam, Esq.'s cow had two calves, etc.

Chemical Manufacturers, iron pyrite at Thetford, VT, etc.

Oilnut or Butternut tree furnishes dye, a new color each month as the cloth ages, according to Dr.

Belknap's *History of New Hampshire*; cloth went from gray to navy to olive to black.

Died Cambridge, 17 inst., suddenly, Rev. Samuel Webber, D.D., President of Harvard University.

Just received at Rutland bookstore, President Davis' Oration on being inaugurated President at Middlebury College.

Middlebury, Joshua Hyde found stray mare.

Weybridge, Ephraim Kellogg found stray mare.

Divorce, Eunice Lamb of New Haven, Addison Co., VT, vs. John Lamb; married 1782, he then of Kingsbury, Washington Co., NY. Deserted her Jan. 1784, adultery.

Granville, NY, Merino Sheep, ad by Stephen Thorn.

Died Falmouth, Jamaica, 15 ult., Ann Sylvester, a free[?] black woman, 133 yr. In 1692 lived near Duncan's during earthquake at Port Royal.

Wed., 1 Aug. 1810:

Rutland, Thomas Tupper and Anselm Parsons form partnership.

Clarendon, killed by lightning at Clarendon on Wednesday last, John Hills, Jr., 20 yr., standing in a field with three others who were prostrated with the shock, but not materially injured.

Rutland, Mr. Rannie, ventriloquist, performs.

Clarendon, J. & F. Parker, their carding machines in North Clarendon are in best order. Are not certain if they will start up their machine in Shrewsbury this season.

Rutland, Abner Moon wants journeymen shoemakers.

Newhaven, Samuel Renne's wife, Polly, has left him.

Middlebury, Wm. G. Hooker & Co, store ad; he also has farm for sale, 1½ miles north of Middlebury College, 117 acres.

Castleton, Henry Spencer, indentured boy, 18 yrs., ran away from John Hollemback.

Probate, Henry Walton, Middletown, Mariam Walton and Jonas Clark, Jr., administrators.

Wed., 8 Aug. 1810:

Episcopalian Convention at Middlebury. Manchester, Abraham Brunson, Secretary.

Died Clarendon, 26 ult., George Bishop, 79.

Died this village, 29 ult., Mary Loraine, dau. of Abijah Lothrop, 1 yr., 5 mos.

New Haven, Othniel Jewett, Clothier, works on New Haven River near Bristol.

Plymouth, Ephraim Moor and Nathan Sprague petition Legislature for Turnpike Road from south line of Bridgewater thru Plymouth to intersection of Turnpike to Rutland.

Wed., 15 Aug. 1810:

Married Swanton, 6 inst., David Moon, Miss Nancy Northrop.  
Died Walpole, Ebenezer Baker killed by wagon passing over chest.  
Died near Cincinnati, Maj. John R. Mills, from wounds received several yrs. ago in battle with Indians.  
Died St. Albans, 8 inst., Col. Theophilus Blake, 49.  
Died St. Albans, 7 inst., Mrs. Hutchins, wife of Thomas.  
Died Sheldon, Daniel Strong, 22.  
Died Enosburgh, child of Solomon Demic.  
Died Swanton, Mrs. Sinclair, wife of Mr. Sinclair, formerly of Waterford, NY.  
Danville, drowned, 23 inst., Erasmus Babbit, ae 19, son of Dr. Uri Babbit.  
Third Census of U.S. will also list manufacturers, mills, etc., R.R. Child, Aaron Hamilton, Wm. Miller, R.C. Hyde, Hezekiah Moors, assistants to Marshal of VT for Division aforesaid.  
Rutland, just published, Rollin C. Mallary, Esq.'s Oration, 4 July 1810 at Poultney, and a sermon by Rev. Clark Kendrick of Baptist Church, Poultney, available at W. Fay's Bookstore; Also Child's *Sacred Musician*.  
Shrewsbury, Wm. Webber found stray mare.  
West Clarendon, Daniel S. Ewing & Co. Carding machines.  
Rutland, Ralph Grenell, has shop formerly occupied by Abner Moon where he will make boots and shoes. Moon will still tan leather, but not make boots and shoes.  
Brigade appointment: Caleb Hendee, Jr., Brigadier General of 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division appoints Jonathan Kendall of Pittsford his Aid de Camp as David Hendee resigned.  
Rutland, James Porter ad for Drugs, Medicines, Paints and Dyestuffs just received from NY.  
Rutland, Daniel Greeno wants 3,000 yards of tow cloth.

Wed., 22 Aug. 1810:

Long letter from A Freeman to Isaac Tichenor, candidate for Governor of VT, saying Tichenor has violated private trust by embezzling property of his neighbor. Tichenor received money from U.S. Treasury in behalf of Peter Beeker of NY, deceased, for furnishing provisions during Revolution, paid him only small amount of total and waited for statute of limitations to run out. His son Maj. Beeker of Cambridge, NY makes these charges. Copy of 1784 Treasury draft of \$574 included. Capt. Darius Branch and Gen. Cogswell of Castleton met Maj. Beeker on way to Troy and were told of the story. When Tichenor was on way to Congress as a member he was arrested in Albany in Beeker case, but pled his Congressional privilege and proceeded on his way, has been careful not to go to NY since. After being Governor of VT for 11 years, he advises Tichenor to retire.

List of Republican and Federalist Candidates for State Office.

Married Marietta, Hon. John G. Jackson of Clarksburgh, VA, Miss Mary Meigs, dau. of Col. R.J. Meigs of Marietta.

Died this town, Mon. last, Mrs. Lucy Thrall, wife of Capt. Samuel, 73.

Died Benson, 11 inst., Mrs. Abigail Branch, wife of Luther, 41<sup>st</sup> yr. after two year illness.

Died NY, Wed., 8<sup>th</sup> inst., Hon. John Broome, Lt. Gov. of NY, 72.

Probate, Daniel Smith, Sudbury, real estate auction; Joseph Warner and Enoch Smith, administrators.

Probate, Aaron Thrall, Esq., Rutland, Widow Olive Thrall.

Probate, Capt. William Briggs, Clarendon, Widow Abigail Briggs.

Rutland, John Smith wants journeyman clothier.

Philadelphia, Ira Allen, late of Colchester, petitions Legislature to be able to visit family and friends in VT. Ira, Joseph Tower has lime for sale.

Wed., 29 Aug. 1810:

Article on Gov. Tichenor and his dealings in Canada.

More on A Freeman's charges against Isaac Tichenor; Darius Branch of Castleton affidavit, Salmon Gill of Castleton affidavit. Thomas M. Pomroy asks Tichenor to respond to charges. He writes to Pomroy and Dr. Samuel Shaw of Castleton who has been spreading the Beeker story. [Is Shaw A Freeman?] He refutes charges, etc. Much more on this issue.

Commencement at University of Vermont. List of those receiving degrees. Benjamin Chandler of St. Albans gave dissertation on Epidemic of 1810 vulgarly called Spotted Fever; was given Doctor of Medicine degree. [He is probably son of Benjamin Chandler of Tinmouth who was killed in the Battle of Bennington 1777.] Gov. Galusha was present.

Died Poultney, 12 Aug. inst., Calvin Mallary, 48<sup>th</sup> yr.

Died Poultney, 22 inst., Eleazer Bateman, a pious and venerable old man.

Died Hanover, 14 inst., Hon. John Hubbard, 50, Professor of Mathematics and Natural Philosophy at Dartmouth College, formerly of Walpole.

Died Bennington, eve 16 Aug., Miss Sukey Dewey, 19, dau. of Loan Dewey. She fell suddenly in a ballroom while dancing and died without a struggle.

Died Ticonderoga, NY, 17 ult., Thomas Hunter, formerly of Windsor, 58.

Died St. Albans, 22 ult., Harvey Burr, 21.

Died at sea on passage from Havanna to Washington, Lt. Tripp of U.S. Navy and Commander of brig Vixen, signalized himself in Tripolitan War in Mediterranean.

Rutland, Social Library notice for meeting at Issachar Reed's Inn. James D. Butler, Clerk.

Pittsford, Simeon Brown has for sale a stand for a mechanic a few rods south of the White Meeting House, house, shop, formerly occupied by a hatter.

Castleton, Academy in Castleton will open 27 Sept., sciences taught by Mr. Huff, graduate of Middlebury College. Causes that have been suspended operations have been resolved. R. Temple, Secretary.

Norwich, VT, Israel Newton has patent for essence of tanzy and also has essence of peppermint.

Probate, Samuel Higgins, Benson, Widow Temperance Higgins.

Wed., 5 Sept. 1810:

Indian affairs.

Whitehall, NY, William D. Cheever offers \$1,000 reward for return of trunk containing \$19,100 stolen from Anthony Rock's Inn in Whitehall.

Wed., 12 Sept. 1810:

Bennington, Celebration of 16 Aug. 1777 Bennington Battle, Poem, Col. David Robinson, Marshall of the Day, 3,000 people in procession, were shown where Hessian dead buried, "narrow house" of Baum and Tory remains buried. Rev. Marsh opened exercises. Jesse L. Billings gave oration, toasts given.

Results of election, Rutland County returned only two out of 26 Federalists to office. Jonas Galusha re-elected Governor of Vermont.

Clarendon, 28 Aug. 1810, William Freeto and Eldad Taylor say they were at work with John Hills, Jr. when he was killed by lightning on 25 ult. Some unfeeling person has put report into circulation that Hills used vile and profane words. It has affected his kind and tender parents. Sarah Smith testifies that she has lived in the house with the deceased ever since he began to keep house and that he was always kind and tender to his wife.

Shrewsbury, Mr. Dean will preach at the meeting-house on Sun., 23 inst.

Died Panton, 9 inst., Deac. Elijah Grandey, 63<sup>rd</sup> yr., survived by wife and five children. Was one of first settlers, served in Revolution, was in town when it was invaded and captured, etc.

Died Shrewsbury, 31<sup>th</sup> [sic] inst., Mrs. Charlotte Burditt, wife of Joshua, in 41<sup>st</sup> yr., afflicting lumberablis for 2½ yrs.

Bristol, James M'Allaster ad, the School's Instructor is in the press at Middlebury.

Rutland, Nathan B. Graham is about to move to New York City.

Probate, Moses Gile, Mt. Holly, real estate to be sold. Wm. Gile, administrator.

Castleton, John Bates' wife, Sara, has left him.

Rutland, Abel Holbrook found stray horse.

Rutland, Nathan Bristol asks those owing him to pay up.

Rutland, John Smith, Clothier, at stand formerly occupied by Elvin Andrews.

Castleton, Caleb Hall and Thomas Hall, commenced saddlery business at brick building formerly occupied by A.W. Hyde, Esq., list of wares and will furnish cavalry items.

Mail, Elisha Clark began Champlain Route one year ago in Oct., pay up for newspapers.

Rutland County Court, Jeremiah Hickok of Sheffield, Berkshire Co., MA, vs. Elisha Freeman of Sheffield, 1808 (promissory note 1796). Jeremiah has died, his executors of will are Stephen Dewey and Durlin Hickok vs. Elisha Freeman of Sheffield and Elkanah Freeman, late of Hubbardton, VT, now of Warsaw, Genesee Co., NY. [Jeremiah died, his executors continue the suit.]  
Long article on Merino Sheep.

Wed., 19 Sept. 1810: [part of paper removed]

Tally of votes for Governor and names of members of the assembly.

Died Washington City, Col. John Whiting of U.S. Army, late of Lancaster, MA.

Rutland, John Prentiss has two cows that strayed or were stolen.

Castleton, Levi Whittock's mare strayed.

Probate, Sceva Pratt, Vergennes.

Wed., 26 Sept. 1810:

Rutland, Samuel Stevens wants journeyman cooper.

Weybridge, proprietors of mills on Otter Creek at falls in Vergennes, petition to Legislature for removing obstruction at falls. Silas Wright, et al [no names].

Republicanism vs. Federalism in VT, by county.

Mt. Pelier [sic] paper, Derby, 6 Sept. 1810, Suicide of Samuel Smith of Derby on 4 inst., he was formerly of Windsor. Body found hanging in barn. He was ordained about a year ago and had pastoral charge of Baptist Church in Derby. He gave himself several blows on head with a cooper's adze before preparing the noose. Buried on the 5<sup>th</sup>, sermon by Rev. Luther Leeland, survived by wife and eight children.

Died Bloomfield, NY, 22 Aug., Jesse Scudder thrown by an unruly mare.

Died Upper Freehold, NJ, 22 Aug., Jacob Hendrickson driving to blacksmith shop with large iron nut from a cider mill in his wagon fell on his breast. Found dead sitting against a fence an hour after he left home.

Amesbury, 26 Aug., David Woodman's bake-house burned.

Mamaroneck, Westchester Co., NY, 8 Sept., Miss Elsia and Miss Ann, daus. of Dr. Isaac Titford, fell from rock while fishing in mill pond and drowned.

Died Sudbury, VT, at house of Charles Stuart, 18 inst., Daniel Fanning, 25, son of Thomas, formerly of Shaftsbury, VT.

Died Cornwall, 18 inst., of Typhus fever, Elias Plumb, 30, survived by wife and two children.

Pittsford, Elijah Brown 3<sup>rd</sup>, has leather factory.

Rutland, Orel Cook wants journeyman hatter.

East Clarendon, Jonathan Parker, 1<sup>st</sup>, Clothier; dye colors: Prussian and Navy blue, Saxon, Bottle and Olive Green, Yellow, Crimson, Redwood, Madder, Merroon, Polished reds, Claret, Cherry, Violet, Pink, Orange, London, Spanish, Olive, Snuff and Cinnamon Browns, Drabs, British and Paris Muds, Corbead, London Smoak, Raven and Jet blacks.

Probate, Charles F. Button, Clarendon, Frederick Button, administrator.

Probate, Benjamin Hulbert, Brandon, Widow Chloe Hulbert.

Rutland, just received by W. Fay Bookstore, *Fuller's Gospel*, by A. Fuller.

Mt. Holly, Richard Lawrence ad, Widow Love Adams has become a town charge; he is boarding her until next March.

Rutland, Ralph Paige wants journeyman clothier.

Rutland, Nathan Bristol found pocketbook on highway in Shoreham.

Brandon, Denis Field had mare strayed or stolen.

Clarendon, Oliver Steward, Jr., cautions against trusting his wife, Waity.

Wed., 3 Oct. 1810:

Rutland, Circuit Court convenes; Judge Livingston presides.

Married Stockbridge, MA, 29 Aug., Nathan B. Haswell, merchant of Burlington, Miss Harriot Plympton, dau. of Oliver, Esq., of former place.

Married Burlington, 22 ult., Asa Robinson, Esq., of South Hero, Miss Mary Danks of former place.

Married Milford, PA, Capt. Joseph Weaver, Miss Kitty Spinner (union indicates growth of domestic manufactures).

Married Portsmouth, NH, Hon. William Eustis, Sec. of War, Miss Caroline Langdon, dau. of late Hon. Woodbury Langdon.  
Died Lebanon, OH, Noah Crane, 28, one of editors of *Western Star*.  
Died NY, 19 ult., James Cheetham, editor of *American Citizen*, 33.  
Died Scituate, MA, Hon. William Cushing, Esq., Associate Judge of U.S. Supreme Court.  
Died Middletown, 18 ult., Mrs. Lois Downey, wife of William, 45, after illness of nine weeks. Interred same day in same grave with Ferry Downey, ae 4, son of same William, who d. 15 ult. Julia, dau. of William Downey, d. at Middletown, 18 July, 2 yrs.  
Died Hartford, VT, Miss Eunice Barrows, 18.  
Died Hartland, Col. Oliver Willard, 87.  
Died Townsend, Mrs. Mehitable Hazleton, wife of Capt. John, 40.  
Died Washington, Maj. Hezekiah Rogers of War Dept., officer in Revolution, 57.  
Died NJ, Gen. James Cox, Rep. to Congress from NJ.  
Rutland, Masonic, Jesse Gove, Sec., says Annual Session of Grand Lodge of Vermont will meet 8 Oct., G. Chaplain will give sermon.  
*Rutland Herald* subscribers can pay at Franklin Co., Mr. Janes; Addison Co., Luther Martin; Hubbardton, Landlord Meeker.  
Rutland, new law practice of William D. Smith and William Luther at office lately occupied by N.B. Graham, Esq., in south room of Courthouse.  
Middletown, farm for sale, 50 acres one mile north of meetinghouse, orchard that makes 20 barrels of cider. Inquire of Nathan Ford of Middletown or Daniel Ford at Rutland.  
New Haven, Aaron Haskin wants flaxseed at his oil mill.  
Recipe for making cider.  
*Vermont Republican* of Aug. last: Death of Gregory Stone, Wed. last at Weathersfield, 34. Was about to leave for Woodstock on business before the Supreme Court when he got word his mills were in danger from the freshet. On his way to mills bridge gave way and he went into the stream and was drowned. Others on bridge escaped. Funeral on Friday, sermon by Elder Dustin. Masonic member; W. Aaron Leelane, master of Olive Branch Lodge of Chester and W. Step[sic] Rice of Hiram Lodge, Claremont, NH, orations. Rep. to Legislature from Weathersfield and one of Visitors of Vermont State Prison. Survived by wife and three small children. Before burial words by Brother S. Churchill, quoted.  
Pittsford, Alexander Ewing asks debtors to pay up.  
Castleton, John Bates' wife, Sabra [Sara earlier] has left him.

Wed., 10 Oct. 1813:

Rutland, William Fairchild has removed from old shop to his new shop opposite Samuel Gordon's Tavern in West Parish, to furnish his customers with newest fashions of Paris and London.  
Benson, Partnership of Heman Wadhams and Solomon Belding dissolves. John Kellogg, Esq., will manage accounts after 25 Oct.  
Vergennes, Lawyer partnership of Josias Smith and Enoch D. Woodbridge dissolves.  
Benson, ad Jonathan Meacham, the South West Company or others wishing to buy lands west of Allegheny Mountains, will meet at Peleg Meacham's.  
Benson, Calvin Belding found a gold watch on Turnpike near Reuben C. Hyde's in West Haven.  
Probate, Tristram Rutherford, Bristol, at Robert Holley's house.  
Brandon, Charles Johnson wants journeyman taylor[sic].  
List of Letters at Rutland Post Office: **Rutland**, Clarissa Briggs; **Pittsford**, Asa Bowen; **Danby**, David Barnard; **Rutland**, John Cook; **Orwell**, Solomon Chittenden; **Chittenden**, John Cowee, Samuel Cooley; **Wallingford**, George K. Cooley; **Pittsfield**, Abishai Crossman; **Rutland**, Fanny Daniels, Jeffery Davis; [no town given, but likely **Clarendon**], Delano Dexter; **Rutland**, Nathan Estabrook, Abigail Edson, John Edwards; **Dorset**, Ransby Eddy; **Rutland**, Aaron Foster; **Ira**, Preserved Fish; **Pittsford**, Ephraim Farrer; **Clarendon**, John Forbes; **Tinmouth**, Elijah Fry; **Rutland**, Nehemiah Gates; **Clarendon**, Anna Gould; **Rutland**, Amos Hewet; **Clarendon**, Theophilus Harrington, Harry Hodges, Jonathan Hays; **Pittsford**, Aaron Henry; **Rutland**, John Andrew Kollmyor, Jr., Adam Kimberly, Moses Lester, Edward Lamb, Abner Mead; **Tinmouth**, Samuel Mills; **Rutland**, Samuel Prentiss, William Phillips; **Clarendon**, Perry & Shepardson, Seth Perry; **Rutland**, I. Reed & Co., Samuel C. Raymond, Governor Smith, et al, Elijah

Smith, Dolly Starns; **Clarendon**, Abraham Salisbury, Noah Shepardson, Sally Smith; **Castleton**, David Stone; **Tinmouth**, Heman Spafford; **Elmore**, Reuben Tucker; **Plymouth**, Charles Soul; **Rutland**, Eleazar Wheelock, Daniel Write, Henry Wenchel; **Hubbardton**, Elisha Walker; **Rupert**, John Worcester; **Tinmouth**, Oliver Woodruff.

List of Letters at Middlebury Post Office: **Middlebury**, Uriah Nichols, James Ellis, Alfred B. Allen, Joseph Dorrance, Solomon Davis, William Foot, Martin Fitch, Azenath Lull, Samuel Goodrich, Nabby Hudson, Henry Martin, Gustavus Bird, Arnold Scholefield, Elizabeth Fessenden, Caleb Farren, Keze Bullard, Apollos Derbey, Alpheus Brooks, Reuben Clark, Erastus Chappell, David Mead, Lyman Clark, Adonijah Ball, Salla Markham, Reuben Munger, Samuel Dow, Otis Dewey, Ebenezer Hooper, James White, Daniel O. Morton, Rev. James Davis, Bela Markham, Anna Johnson, Freedom Loomis, Abraham Berthong, Jr., Hannah Berthong, Rufus Goodale, Philena Wilson, Roswell Whitmore, Philip Haynes, Asa Burton, Elisha Borttolph, Eunice Grovener, Elisha W. Pratt, Enos Payn, Amos Weller, Stephen C. Pitkin, Alma Hubbard, Asa Burdick, Miles Beach, Betsey Bassett, Ezra Crane, John A. Coe, Daniel Cole, Thomas Chipman, Josiah Nichols, Enos Severance, Rev. John Smith, Hannah Hardey, Josua[sic] Vandeezer, Thomas Chitman, Sally Ripley, Deborah Cushman, Zebedee Goodwin, Samuel Pitts, Hezekiah Ripley, Moses Strong, Esq., John Wilson, Israel Wadsworth, Truman[?] Roberts, Reuben Stevens, Josiah Taylor, Polly Vandeezer, Henry Vanduzen, Ebenezer Weeks. **Cornwall**, John Alvord, Semantha Andrews, Emila Daggett, Willys Durfey, Silas Mead, Esq., Sally Foot, David Layton, Town Clerk, Lovisa Ellsworth, Benjamin Hales, Jeremiah Bingham, Louis Cowles, Joseph Cook, Enoch Niles, Henry Green, Benjamin Bevens, Jeremiah Rockwell, Calvin Tilden, Abraham Williamson, Josiah Gilbert. **Whiting**, Jacob Chase, Lydia Mack, David Clark, William Ewings, Ebenezer Wheelock, Ashur Nichols, Northrop Rockwell, Elisha Richards, Jonathan Stowel, Pliny Wilcox, Mr. Rockwell. **Weybridge**, Jason Bell, Charity Bryant, Aaron Parmele, Amos Marsh, Samuel Wright, Rufus Goodale. **New Haven**, Thomas Foot, Ezekiel Lawrence, Stephen Biddle, William Willson, Abner Huntington. **Hancock**, Daniel Hustin, Amos Fasset, Nathaniel Cuthman, Isaac Trask. **Starksborough**, Abraham Hall, Oliver White, Stephen Hurd. **Warren**, Thomas Gerald, Calvin Gibbert, Jesse Kent, Heman Rising. **Kingston**, Betsey Cushman, James W. Parker. **Leicester**, Charles McCarter, Betsey Woodward. **Rochester**, Theodore Bracket, Isaac Clemons. **Goshen**, Joseph Davis, Grindall Davis. **Shoreham**, Silas Brookins, Richard Carrique. **Addison**, Sanford Bullard, Wells Chase. **Bradford**, Isaac Heath. **Duxbury**, Moses Preston. **Bridport**, Elisha Grovener. **Lyndon**, Bela Shaw. **Sudbury**, Abel Mead, Thomas White. **Barnard**, Lucy Chamberlain. **Waltham**, Peat Chase. **Bristol**, Benager Cuneld. **Colchester**, Betsey Bargan. George Cleveland, P.M. Rutland, James Thomas had mare stolen or strayed. Return her to William M'Kenzie in Rutland. James Whitelaw's 1810 map of Vermont published.

Rutland, John Prentiss offers full blooded Spanish Merino Ram for breeding.

Wed., 17 Oct. 1810:

Drowned Bath, 8 inst., while fording Ammonoosic River, Leopold Sissott, native of Germany, 44 yrs., had bled on field of battle, fled from Europe's war fields, this shore of Atlantic has no relatives, but his widow and adopted son.

Rutland, William Hall asks customers to pay up.

Rutland, Henry Gould wants oats.

Brandon, S.R. Deming will take merchandise in lieu of cash.

Proposals by Merrifield & Cochran for printing Holy Bible, the first Bible printed in Vermont.

Rutland, Masonic, Grand Lodge of Vermont at Rutland met and elected officers: M.W. John Chipman, G.M.; R.W. Isaac Tichenor, D.G.M.; W. Nichols Goddard, S.G.W.; W. Jairus Hall, J.G.W.; W. George Robinson, G. Treasurer; W. Enoch D. Woodbridge, G. Secretary; W. Joseph Winslow, D.G. Secretary; W. & Rev. Jonathan Nye, Chaplain; Moses Strong, S.G.D.; Asa Strong, J.G.D.; John Woodward, G. Marshal; Benj. Lord, G. Sword bearer; Rufus Root, Smith Booth, G. Steward; Jonathan Nye, G. Visitor; Gordon Newell, G. Pursuivant; Thomas Hewlet and Alanson Ferris, G. Tyler; Assistant Deputy Grand Masters: District 1, Joseph Winslow; 2, William S. Cardall; 3, Luther E. Hall; 4, Ch. K. Williams; 5, David Russell; 6, Erastus Watrous; 7, Abner Morton; 8, Martin Field; 9, Samuel Austin; 10, Thomas Tolman.

Married Bennington, William I. Seymour of Burlington, Miss Fanny Field of former place.

Died Bennington, 30 Sept., Ebenezer Griswold, in 85<sup>th</sup> yr., native of Norwich, CT and early resident of Bennington. Survived by eight living children, 77 grandchildren and 61 great grandchildren = 146.

Died Bennington, very suddenly, Job Wood of Nelson, NY, 73.

Died Leicester, 26 ult., sickness of 11 weeks, Thomas M'Bride in 26<sup>th</sup> yr.; poem.

Probate, Jacob Rogers, Ferrisburgh, at house of Ananias Rogers.

Poem by Matthew Taylor.

Concord, VT, 21 Sept., two lads, David and Samuel Morse, aged 18[?13] and 16 went to help kill a bear in a trap. Bear extricated itself, attacked eldest boy, brother helped him. Mother came and beat bear's eyes out with trap, etc., until Mr. Caruth and Mr. Hamilton killed bear.

Wed., 24 Oct. 1810:

Probate, John Sprague, late of Bedford, Middlesex Co., MA, died at Pittsford, VT, at house of William Baxter in Pittsford and house of Henry Gould of Rutland.

Married Charlotte, 5 inst., Lyman Wooster, Miss Anna Pease.

Married Bridgewater, MA, 17 inst., Rev. Samuel Clark of Burlington, VT, Caroline Sanger of former place.

Rutland, Abel Hawkins found a steer and heifer.

Wed., 31 Oct. 1810:

Military appointments, David Robinson, Major Gen. of 2<sup>nd</sup> Division, in lieu of Gen. Cogswell [Eli], resigned; Jonathan Orms, Brig. Gen. of 2<sup>nd</sup> Division in lieu of Gen. Hende, resigned; Jonas Cutting, Brig. Gen. of 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 1<sup>st</sup> Division; Hezekiah Barns, Maj. Gen. of 3<sup>rd</sup> Division.

Castleton, Truman Tomlinson has 40 merino rams for sale from Durby, of Col. Humphrey's breed.

Shoreham, J. and L. Barlow have for sale 50 acres, five miles partly on Lake Champlain, house, barn, privilege of a ferry, good situation for a Tavern. Also 50 acres in Benson, framed house and log barn.

Rutland, Diodorus Sheldon, cabinet and chair making in North upper room of W. Fay's printing office.

Married [no place], by Rev. Lemuel Haynes, Benning Chatterton of Rutland, Miss Polly Smith of Clarendon.

Died Clarendon, 16 inst., Capt. William Bolan, 74<sup>th</sup> yr., very spiritual, hard of hearing, but attended church. Survived by 14 children and widow; member of church at West Rutland.

Died Leicester, Mrs. Sarah Cheney, 95.

Died Middlebury, 13 inst., Mrs. Sarah Chipman, wife of Col. John.

Wed., 7 Nov. 1810:

Died this town, Sun. last, Mrs. Eleanor Ward, wife of Jabez, 43.

Died this town, Mon., Horatio Smith, son of Solomon, 31.

Died this town, yesterday morning, child of Ephraim Clark, 4 yrs.

Castleton, R. Temple has for sale in village,  $\frac{1}{4}$  acres, two story house, barn, carriage house and summer house.

Probate, Truman Bateman, Shoreham, at Luther Newcomb's.

Clarendon, Jacob Sawyer found stray pigs.

Shrewsbury, Jeffrey A. Barney found stray heifer.

Divorce, Rhoda Saunders of Shoreham vs. Aquella Saunders; married 1801, he then of Shoreham, desertion Feb. 1810 and adultery.

New Steam boat for Lake Champlain. Mr. Livingston and Fulton are to build two new steam boats superior to those on North River.

Wed., 14 Nov. 1810: [part of paper removed]

Windsor, John Cunningham, a man came to his printing office wanting a job, stole items from him.

Shrewsbury, Asahel Holton and Ptolemy Edson of Shrewsbury say inoculation for smallpox can be had in South part of Parkerstown.

Pittsford, Oliver Booge found stray steer.

Pittsford, Jesse Wheeler found stray calf.

Rutland, W.D. Smith's sheep have strayed.

Wed., 21 Nov. 1810:

Lake Champlain, 11 persons on Sat. 17<sup>th</sup> inst. drowned near Cumberland Head in a ferry. Seven or eight were young and belonging to one family, rest were men.

Died this village, 15 inst., William Phillips, 24.

Died this village, same day, Mrs. ---- Mory, wife of Philemon.

Died, no village listed, 18 inst., Zebedee Sprout, Esq., of Pittsfield, 67.

Brandon, Ira Manley, preceptor at Brandon Academy.

Rutland, Durham Sprague, jailer, offers reward for John Edwards who escaped.

Granville, Stephen Thorn and Isaac Bishop have Merinos.

Rutland, East Parish Meeting House, 1/3 of a pew for sale by John Reid.

Brandon, S.R. Deming sells white, red lead and spruce yellow paint.

Probate, James Walker, Cornwall, Roxana Walker and Benjamin Sanford, administrators.

Wed., 28 Nov. 1810:

*Vermont Sentinel*, Joshua Clapp, Esq. of Montgomery cut his throat with razor at Cambridge Mon. last, Rev. soldier, member of Legislature, probably delirium.

Married this village, Thurs. eve last, by Rev. Ball, Diodorus Sheldon, Miss Mary Starkweather.

Rutland, Caleb Hendee, Jr., probate judge, says probate courts will be held at Henry Gould's for the year.

Pittsford, Jonathan Lamb lost mare.

Clarendon, William Weeks found cow.

Divorce, Rebecca Preast of Rutland vs. Job Preast of Hebron, NY, married Jan. 1802 at Marlow, Cheshire Co., NH, Aug. 1807 deserted her, adultery.

Wed., 5 Dec. 1810:

Remarkable youth, Zerah Colburn, born Cabot, VT, is 6 yrs., 2 mos. old, genius in numerical calculation. Father is in Boston raising funds for his education.

Died Rutland, Hon. Israel Smith, late Governor of VT, died at his home [Aldous Funeral Home on North Main Street], Sun. last 12 noon in 52<sup>nd</sup> yr.

Died Basseterre (Guad.), 5 Oct., Ethan Hubbard, Jr., c. 30, formerly of CT.

Drowned 15 ult. on board Sloop Lark, Dauphin King, Master, on passage from St. Johns to Burlington, a young man, Archer M'Daniel.

Middlebury, Books for sale at Swift & Chipman's.

Rutland, Nathan Bristol, new store goods.

West Clarendon, D.I. French, store goods.

Probate, Amasa Squire, Middletown, see estate at Jeremiah Leffingwell's, Jonathan Brewster, adm'r.

Cavendish, Green Mt. Turnpike Co. to meet at James Stiles in Cavendish. Uriel C. Hatch, Prop. Clerk.

Poultney, Firm of Reuben Wheeler and Jonas Lampson dissolves. Lampson has absconded.

Wed., 12 Dec. 1810:

Rutland, funeral of Hon. Israel Smith on Tues., 4 inst., shows outline of coffin and placement of pall bearers: J.D. Butler, Capt. J. Prentiss, Hon. P. Smith, Dr. T. Hooker, Hon. A. Thompson, Hon. I. Clark, followed by widow, children and relatives, Selectmen of Rutland, Gentlemen of the Bar, County Sheriff, Civil Magistrates, Deputy Sheriff and Constables of Rutland, Citizens, all with badges of mourning. At Meeting House Rev. Heman Ball gave discourse. Survived by widow, son and dau.

Married Philadelphia [prob. Chittenden, VT], 5 inst., by Samuel Harlann[?], Esq., Martin Eno of New Haven, Miss Sally Keeler of Philadelphia.

Married this town, Mon. eve last, by Rev. Ball, David Rood of Hartland, Miss Lucy Pratt.

Rutland, W. Fay advertises school books. [He also publishes *Rutland Herald*.]

West Rutland Academy, Isaac N. Cushman, member of Middlebury College, instructor, Nathan Bristol, Sec.

Divorce, Rachel Coyle of Danby vs. Michael Coyle; she was Rachel Miller, married 9 May 1805 at Kingston, Upper Canada by Rev. Stuart, he deserted June 1806.

Divorce, Mary Burbank of Benson vs. Thomas Burbank; married 12 Jan. 1789, Granville, MA, deserted June 1807.

Parkerstown, Benjamin Farmer's steers strayed.

Wed., 19 Dec. 1810:

Rutland, for sale by Cephas Smith, Jr., beautiful property in southeast corner of the Green, 12 acres, house, barn, fruit trees. Also half acre at southwest corner of Green with good house.

Died Vergennes, 8 Dec. inst., of lingering consumption, Josias Smith, Esq., attorney and mayor at that city. Rev. Henry Green preached funeral sermon.

Died Wilmington, VT, 18 ult., Rev. Alvan Tory, 32.

Rutland Co. Probate Court, Fairhaven District, will be held at Lewis Drury's, Castleton, William Ward, Judge.

Shrewsbury, Silas Beverstock found colt.

Middlebury, lands in hands of VT State Bank for collection: 1) building lot on east side of road from Courthouse to Joshua Henshaw's. Bounded north by Jonathan M. Young's lot, east on Gamaliel Painter, south on Aaron Hastings' houselot, west on highway = 90 square rods. 2) house lot on west side of Otter Creek on west side of highway running south from Col. Seth Storr's office, bounded north on Elias Hall's lot, west on James Jewett's lot, south on Philip Ham's lot, east on highway = 90 square rods and buildings. 3) lot on east side of road leading south from Col. Storr's Office known as Aqueduct lot, bounded north on Ethan Andrus, west by highway, south on Lyman Clark's lot, east on Col. Storrs = 70 square rods. 4) house lot on east side of road leading from Middlebury College to Weybridge Meeting House, bounded north and east on Horatio Seymour, south on Hastings Warren, west on highway = 150 square rods with two small houses. 5) two buildings on southwest end of bridge across Otter Creek at Middlebury Falls, one on the opposite side of the stream adjoining bridge used for a store, the other on downstream side and adjoining bridge used for mechanic's shop. Artemas Nixon, Constable.

Poem by Matthew Taylor: *On Death*.

Mt. Holly, Stephen Clark's land, houses, barns, etc. confiscated, to be sold where Miles Clark lives. E. Flagg, Sheriff.

Wed., 26 Dec. 1810:

Rutland, Bookstore, W. Fay, very long list of books.

Married Tinmouth, 16 inst., William Marsh, Esq. of Shrewsbury, Miss Amy Allen of former place.

Died Poultney, 13 inst., Deacon Silas How, 64.

Died Castleton, 21 inst., Miss Eliza Spooner, 26.

Died Windsor, 12[?] inst., Joshua Bailey, 76.

Clarendon, Hodges & Hall, new goods, also Potash kettles and Iron Hollow Ware.

Probate, Ezra Williams, Orwell, at widow Chloe Williams.

Castleton, Isaac Clark found stray mare.

Rutland, new goods at Hodges & Gould's Store.

Ebenezer Hayden of Pettipagut, Saybrook, offers reward for person who stole \$4,000 from his store.

**VERMONT COURIER**

Thomas M. Pomroy established the *Vermont Courier*, a strongly Federalist newspaper, at Rutland on 25 July 1808. It was issued on Monday from its beginning until 22 April 1809 when the day of publication changed to Saturday. On 18 October 1809 until its demise the paper came out on Wednesdays. The newspaper was published weekly until 30 May 1810 when Pomroy joined Josiah Dunham at Windsor, VT in establishing the *Washingtonian*.

Mon., 25 July 1808:

Tornado at Pittsford, Fri., 22 inst., began 3-4 P.M. with lightning and thunder. Began little north of Baptist Meeting House, broke windows in north and west sides, then to Congregational Meeting House, every lattice almost swept from its casement. Large two story house occupied by Mr. Kendall as a tavern was in part unroofed, and barns, sheds, etc. tumbled down. New barn just erected by G. Newell, Esq. and another owned by Mr. Walker blew away. Whole fields of corn cut down for a mile wide, 1,500 panes of glass broken in village, etc.

Poultney, 4<sup>th</sup> July Celebration, orations by Rev. Bigelow of Middletown and Chauncy Langdon, Esq. of Castleton at Congregational Meeting House. Toasts by Gen. Eli Cogswell, Col. Noah Lee, Maj. Gilbert, Middlebury, Paper mill destroyed by freshet so *Courier* is printed on smaller sized paper.

Rutland, Tavern north of courthouse to let or for sale by Jesse Gove, large two story house, barn for stables and 30 acres.

Rutland, William H. Bliss wants two journeyman joiners.

1 Aug. 1808:

Mt. Holly, Clement Clark ad, asks for Levi Clark, late of Mt. Holly, to return as his son died last week. Left because of a bill of divorce.

Died Greenland, NH, 18 ult., after long and severe illness, Rev. James A. Neal, etc.

Died Hubbardton, 2<sup>nd</sup> July, Widow Esther Rumsey, mother of Nathan, Esq., in 79<sup>th</sup> yr., poem.

Died this town, Tues. last, very suddenly, child of John McFarland.

Fair Haven, James Witherell resigns from National Legislature to take federal appointment.

Pittsford, Joseph Breck, hatter, few rods south of Meeting House.

Rutland, Orel Cook, hatter.

8 Aug. 1808:

Burlington, 5 Aug., Wed. last, Revenue Cutter commanded by Lt. Farrington with Sergeant and 12 privates sent by Collector of Customs in pursuit of smugglers on large batteau, the Black Snake. Cutter pursued Black Snake up Onion River where she was found and taken by Lt. Farrington, while her armed crew stood on bank and threatened to shoot anyone who went on board. Some of the crew of the Cutter started down river with the Black Snake. Had not gone more than 100 rods when fired upon. One man on board the Cutter, Ellis Drake [from Clarendon] shot thru head and died immediately. Lt. ordered his men to steer towards shore. When they landed whole contents of large gun called wall piece, 10 feet long and carrying 16 ounce balls fired at them. Proved fatal to Asa Marsh, member of Cutter crew, and Jonathan Ormsby, an inhabitant of this town who was returning from work. Lt. received ball thru his left arm and slightly wounded in head. Eight men under arrest. Yesterday funeral procession about half mile long proceeded from Court House to burying ground. Rev. Dr. Williams delivered sermon. Militia of this town under Capt. Justus Warner gave martial honors.

Died Troy, NY, 17 ult., James Storer, 66.

Died Castleton, of consumption, 19 ult., Mrs. Clarisa Noble, wife of Enoch Noble and dau. of Pelatiah Adams, 24.

Letter to constituents from Col. Matthew Lyon; very long.

Brandon, Silas R. Deming disposed of his stock in trade, asks debtors to pay him.

15 Aug. 1808:

Rutland-Stockbridge Turnpike Co. to meet at Henry Gould's. William Page, Jr., Treas.

22 Aug. 1808: [no vitals]

29 Aug. 1808:

Sgt. David D. Johnson's statement about 3 Aug. 1808 on events of smugglers in Burlington when Ellis Drake, Asa Marsh and Jonathan Ormsby killed. Calls the boat the Fly that pursued the Black Snake. Vermont State Prison, proposals to build it at Middlebury, signed by Gamaliel Painter, David Page, Jr., Levius Fillmore, Stephen Judd, John Warren, Ebenezer W. Judd, Loudon Case, John Willard, Daniel Chipman, Ep Jones, Horatio Seymour, Daniel Henshaw, Joseph McDonald. Dr. Shaw favored Dorset site. Poultney, Ezra Walker lost a cow.

5 Sept. 1808:

Chelsea, VT, George Washington Lodge of Masons expelled Matthew Grey. S. Eddy, Secretary.

12 Sept. 1808:

Rutland, Abner Moon, tanning and shoemaking, half mile south of Courthouse. Pawlet, John Sargent asks patrons to pay up.

19 Sept. 1808:

Died Royalton, 10 inst., Mrs. Patty Smith, consort of Jacob, Esq., and dau. of late Rev. Bulkley Olcott of Charlestown.

Guildhall, Rev. Caleb Bridge ordained.

Pittsford, Alexander Johnson, tailor, opposite J. Brooks' Inn.

26 Sept. 1808:

Windsor Co. Grand Jurors say Jireh Durkee, late of Royalton, VT, now Bolton, MA, evil and does not get living by truth and honest labor, long. J. Durkee responds.

Jared W. Knowlton of Blanford, MA, chased from Richford to Manchester, where he was arrested for counterfeiting.

Castleton, Dexter Higby says wife Rosanna has run him into debt.

*Fayetteville Gazette*, 23 ult., Elijah Fisher murdered, probably by 14 yr. old son.

Died Willsborough, NY, 20 inst., Julius A. Preston of Orwell, VT in 20<sup>th</sup> yr.

3 Oct. 1808:

Died Hanover, NH, Hon. Peter Olcott, Esq. of Norwich, VT, formerly Lt. Gov. of that state and many yrs. a member of Board of Trustees of Dartmouth College, ae 75.

Died Ridgway, CT, Eben'r Stebbins, 54, while shooting at birds the breech pin of the gun flew out and entered his head above eyebrows and lodged in his brain, lived 48 hours.

10 Oct. 1808:

Rutland, Circuit Court, Grand Jury, 3 inst., found bills of high treason against three people, committed at Burlington, John Hoxie, Jacob Hoxie, Frederick Hoxie. No bills found against other two, John and Ezekiel Taylor.

Died Annapolis, N.S., Rev. Jacob Baeley, 67, rector of St. Luke's Church. Born New England, educated Harvard, etc.

St. John's Parish, Berkley, SC, Dr. Peter D. Ravenel, 30, accidentally shot in a deer hunt.

Granville, Ira Spalding, wants to buy white oak and ash plank for Waggon Fellies and 10,000 carriage and waggon spokes.

17 Oct. 1808:

Whitehall, Molly Ryder, c. 60 and an old maid somewhat deranged, ran away from Zenas Ryder.

Benson, Jared Megraw wants people to pay up.

Rutland, Masonic Grand Lodge of Vermont elected officers: M.W. John Chipman, G.M.; R.W. Jonathan Nye, D.G.M.; W. John Woodward, S.G.W.; W. David Russell, J.G.W.; W. George Robinson, G. Treas.; W. Enoch D. Woodbridge, G. Sec.; W. + Rev. Isaac Beal, G. Chaplain; Jesse Gove, D.G. Sec.; Luther E.

Hall, S.G.D.; James Porter, J.G.D.; Benjamin Lord, G. Marshall; Ozias Fuller, G. Sword Bearer; Rufus Root and William Storer, G. Stewards; Asa Strong, G. Pursuivant; Lemuel Savage and William Alvord, G. Tylers; District Deputy Masters, 1. John Woodward, 2. Belas Hard, 3. Luther E. Hall, 4. Nichols Goddard, 5. David Russell, 6. Erastus Watrous, 7. Carter Hickok, 8. Martin Field, 9. Samuel Austin, 10. Thomas Tolman.

24 Oct. 1808:

Married Vergennes, Sun. eve, 16 inst., by Thomas Byrd, Esq., Elkanah Brush, Esq., Mrs. Lucretia Strong. Married Ferrisburgh, same eve by Mr. Byrd, Thomas Craige, Miss Eunice Stephens.

Died Middlebury, morn of 13 inst., at 1 o'clock, Loyal Case, Esq., of that town, and Addison Co. State's Attorney, ae 32, confined about a fortnight by typhus fever, survived by wife and four small children, funeral on 14<sup>th</sup> preached by Rev. Elder Green, long.

Died Panton, 10 ult., William Perry, 45.

31 Oct. 1808:

Clarendon, C.F. Button found stray mare.

7 Nov. 1808:

Rutland, Abijah Lothrop, new store goods.

Rutland, Nichols Goddard ad, has clocks, watches, jewelry, etc.

Rutland, Isaac Gage, boot and shoemaker, at stand formerly occupied by Nathan Pratt, c. two miles north of Courthouse.

Rutland, Asa Graves, Tanner, Currier and Shoemaker, long article on difficult times for manufacturers.

14 Nov. 1808:

Hubbardton, Stephen Dana patented new washing machine.

*Courier* office removes to second story of store occupied by J. Gould, one door south of H. Gould's Inn [previously was published as few rods north of Courthouse].

Pawlet, new academy near house of Ephraim Fitch, John Griswold for committee.

Pittsford, Elijah Brown 3<sup>rd</sup> and Elias Plumb dissolve partnership. Brown carries on tanning, currying, shoemaking.

Rutland, Abiel Washburn puts accounts with Jesse Gove, Esq., for collection.

21 Nov. 1808:

Died this village, Wed. last, Mrs. Mary Trask, 62.

Bill of divorce, Martha Kinney of Tinmouth vs. Abel Kinney, desertion and adultery.

Rutland, Benjamin Lord, watches, clocks, jewelry.

Long list of Vermont Legislature members that voted against embargo, beginning with Nathaniel Chipman.

28 Nov. 1808:

Died this village, 26 inst., Mrs. Polly Williams, relict of Hon. Samuel, Esq., late of this place.

Orwell, Truman H. Hinman to let his Brick Blacksmith shop, tools and machine for cutting nails, c. half mile south of Meeting House.

Brandon, Joel Hunter says pay up as he's leaving.

Benson, Fair Haven Turnpike Co. meeting at Chauncy Smith's. John D. Smith, order of Directors.

5 Dec. 1808:

Warren Lodge of Masons, Woodstock, VT, expelled Thomas Gross, late of Hartford, VT, now Salem, NY. David Thompson, Secretary

Killed 10 inst., child of Thomas Fowler of Northfield by cart running over its neck, ae 23 mos.

Probate, Samuel Lathrop, Esq., Wells, widow Sarah, at Ephraim Beebe, Jr.'s.

12 Dec. 1808:

Odd tree in Middletown, VT, west bank of North Branch.

Married Brandon by John Conant, Esq., Samuel Mott, Miss Larona Newell.  
Married Parkerstown [Mendon], Thurs. eve last, William H. Bliss of this town, Miss Phila Farmer.  
Married this town by Rev. Ball, Jacob Page, Miss Hannah Willis.  
Died Poultney, 1 inst., Barnabas Richmond, Esq., 54, long.  
Died Pawlet, 4 ult., illness of 9 days, Miss Delilah Gifford, dau. of Gideon, 19<sup>th</sup> yr.  
Died Middletown, 8 inst., Deac. Gideon Miner, 80<sup>th</sup> yr.  
Divorce Bill, Experience Holden [later papers it's Hedden] of Manchester vs. Alanson Holden, married Galaway, NY, 24 Oct. 1801, adultery, desertion.  
List of letters at Brandon Post Office: **Brandon**, William Ray, Abiather Knapp, Polly Whitney, Ebenezer Cole, Bethiah Tinkham, Abner Howard, David Fisk, Timothy Buckland, William Morrow; **Philadelphia**, David Wadsworth; **Melone**, Elisha Deming, Elisha Drew.  
Rutland, Nathaniel Cornell found a black tippet.

19 Dec. 1808:

James Harrington (Judge of Rutland County Court) writes letter on his last day of his term to Darius Chipman, Chairman of Bar of Rutland County, Chipman responds with thanks.  
Died Boston, Sat., 10 inst., James Sullivan, Esq., Gov. of MA, 65.  
Pomfret, Joseph D. Hewitt had horse stolen by robbers, long.

26 Dec. 1808:

Married Bennington, Charles Wright, Esq., attorney, Miss Eunice Robinson, dau. of Moses, Jr., Esq.  
Died Huntington, VT, Mary Tefft, 81, fainted and fell into fire, burned to death.  
Died Topsham, VT, William Kimball, son of William Dickey, ae 14 mo., killed by stick of wood which rolled from a pile onto him.  
Died Brattleboro, VT, Mrs. Abigail Blake, consort of John W., Esq., 42<sup>nd</sup> yr.  
Died Danbury, CT, dau. of John Matthews of Bethel parish, 7 yrs., clothes caught fire while running around bonfire.  
Died Henniker, NH, Mrs. Peggy Morrison, 78, wife of Samuel, was at her spinning wheel, found dead on floor.  
Died at sea, Nov. 26, in gulph stream on passage from Charleston to NY, S. Shanklin of Powles Hook, NJ, jumped overboard in fit of insanity.  
Died Franklin Co., PA, Maj. Gen. Robert Johnson, 58, Rev. patriot.  
Died Manchester, 28 ult., Benjamin Purdy, 90. Funeral on 29<sup>th</sup>, preached by Rev. Abel Farley, 81 relatives attended. Survived by 10 children, 91 grandchildren, 128 great grandchildren = 234 now living.  
Tinmouth, Wait Rathbone, new furnace in blast.  
Rutland, Warham Whedon, tailor, at brick shop, recently possessed by William Hall, saddler.

2 Jan. 1809 [missing]

9 Jan. 1809:

Clarendon, Thomas Potter constructed machine for raising water by means of a wheel thru an aqueduct from 1-500 feet in height; about to apply for patent.  
Died Schagticoke, Capt. Hull of Poultney, VT, the loss of a linch pin occasioned one of the wheels of his wagon to run off and he was thrown among the horses and killed instantly.  
Died Vergennes, Samuel Welch, 20; Miss Sally Welch, 14; Miss Abby Welch, 12; all children of Paul Welch, died within few days of each other.  
Rutland, Daniel Oliver found a pillow-case full of wearing apparel on new turnpike between Rutland and Parkerstown.  
Probate, Capt. William Fuller, Wallingford, Joel Hill, administrator.

16 Jan. 1809:

Highgate, eve 5 inst., Ephraim Carr, Esq., of Highgate, formerly of Middletown in this state, hanged himself at his house. Inquest—verdict insanity.  
Died Poultney, 8 inst., Mrs. Lydia Parker, consort of Abel, 64, etc.

23 Jan. 1809:

Meeting of Poultney Manufacturing Co., at house of Daniel Parsons. Billy Todd, Clerk. Woolen factory now owned by Thomas Todd can be purchased.

Married Pittsfield, MA, 4 inst., Jesse Gove, Esq., attorney of this town, Miss Sophia Ingersoll, dau. of Capt. Jared of former place.

Died Boston, Hon. Thomas Dawes, 78.

Died Boston, Gen. Henry Jackson, 62.

Died Timmouth, Fri. night last, Mrs. Louis Noble, consort of Obediah, Jr., Esq.

30 Jan. 1809: [missing]

6 Feb. 1809:

Died Boston, Thompson J. Skinner, Esq., late Treasurer of MA.

13 Feb. 1809:

Died this town, Tues. last, William Hale, 41.

Died this town, Fri. last, Mrs. Mary Baker, consort of Capt. William, 54.

Died West Hartford, John Seymour, 82 yrs., descendants—14 children, 66 grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren = 93.

20 Feb. 1809:

Married Poultney, 13 inst., Samuel Clark, Miss Lucinda Bateman.

Died Middletown, 9 inst., Luther Fillmore, 59.

Died Castleton, Fri. last, Adeline, dau. of Arunah W. Hyde, Esq.

Died Augusta, SC, 16 ult., George Steptoe Washington, Esq., of VA, nephew of late President.

Died near Trenton, 4 inst., Gen. Philemon Dickinson, 69 yr., Rev. officer.

27 Feb. 1809:

Fairhaven, Elisha Parkhill and Orson Martin dissolve; business continued at same store by Parkill and Safford.

6 March 1809:

Pawlet, Isaac Sheldon, to sell or to let Tavern lately occupied by Joseph Armstrong, 100 acres, etc.

13 March 1809:

Rutland, Partnership of George Buck and E.W. Bisbee dissolve.

20 March 1809:

Rutland, William Rand, jailer, offers reward for Charles Johnson, c. 50, who broke jail, was under sentence of Supreme Court for counterfeiting.

27 March 1809:

Married Pawlet, 19 inst., Hubbard Fitch, Miss Betsey Brown.

Died Plattsburgh, NY, 3 ult., a stranger supposedly Benjamin Danforth, formerly of Bennington Co. and late from Middlebury.

Died England, Capt. J. [?] B. Balderston of Parthian sloop of war, 29, murdered by master's mate, James Smith.

West Rutland, meeting of the Ohio Company of Settlers at B. Pratt's Tavern. Solomon Purdy.

Sheldon, VT, Jacob Wead, Jr. sells farm in Brandon, 180 acres, small house, etc.; inquire Elijah Parker, Esq. at Brandon.

3 April 1809:

Probate, Nehemiah Whipple, Rutland, John Page and Samuel Morgan, executors.

Died New Ipswich, 8 inst., Mrs. Abigail Jones, consort of Jonas, ae 65.

10 April 1809:

Castleton, John Hoton and Thomas Dake dissolve partnership.

17 April 1809:

Married Ira, Sun. eve last by Rev. Haynes, Samuel C. Basset of that place, Miss Anne Harmon of that town.

Died Orwell, 4 inst., Levi Sanford in 40<sup>th</sup> yr.

Rutland, Eli Ripley and Seth Warren ad for two journeymen at Carpenter and house joining business.

Pittsford, Caleb Hendee, Gen. of Brigade, says company of artillery attached to 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt., 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Division of Militia of Vermont has for more than a year failed to furnish themselves with equipment and to duty; therefore it is dissolved.

Extract of letter from Matthew Lyon, Member of Congress, to friend in Vermont.

Scheme of the Fifth Class of Hatfield Bridge Lottery, tickets available in Rutland at Hooker & Tupper's Store.

Sat., 22 April 1809:

Rutland, Hooker & Tupper have for sale of share of land in Chittenden, being the original right of Capt. Jesse Burke, 400 acres.

Rutland, Miss Sprague opens a day school for young ladies a few rods south of Courthouse, \$3 per quarter, if painting and embroidery included, it's \$5.00

Post Rider Frederick Billington asks customers to whom he has delivered *Courier* to pay bill.

29 April 1809:

Probate, Amasa Squier [later Squire], Middletown, at house of Edmund Bigelow, Esq.

Married Granville, 19[?] ult, Jonas Lamson of Poultney, Miss Betsey Stacey of former place.

Poultney Political Protest; when meeting closed the federal republicans met at D. Parson's Inn and appointed James Hooker, Jonas Safford, Lemuel B. Platt, Thomas Wilmot and Bryan Ransom a committee to prepare the protest.

Castleton, J.G. Harris' horse, Matchem, will stand at his stable.

6 May 1809 [no vitals]

13 May 1809:

Died Hadley, MA, Mrs. Keziah Cook, 81.

Hubbardton, VT, Stephen W. Dana, new patent in wheel carriages, exhibited wagon with new improvement at Lewis Drewry's house, appt. Elisha Walker, Esq., Capt. Seth Wallis, James Whelpley, Esq., Capt. David Barber, Samuel Parsons, the noted millwright, and mechanic Lewis Drewry, Abner Ashley, Elijah Herrick, gunsmith who made the iron work; long description, above names sign. Additions: Charles Brown, Benjamin Selleck, David Davis.

Application made by Absalom Green, Darius Green, John Stone, Walter Crawley, Ephraim Busher, Jedediah Hammond, Jr., Stephen Holden, all of Mt. Holly and members of Capt. Clark's Co. of Cavalry in Maj. Cheney's squadron, ask to be set from Capt. Clark's to Capt. John Ruggles' Co. because of distance of travel. Signed by Eli Cogswell, Maj. Gen. 2<sup>nd</sup> Division, Castleton.

20 May 1809:

Died Ludlow, 7 inst., Elisha Denison, 74.

Died, Rev. John Smith, DD, professor of languages at Dartmouth College.

Rutland, William Baxter has bay stud horse, Emperor, gives blood lines. Seth Janes of Pittsfield attests to lineage.

27 May 1809:

Bennington, 17 inst., fire, caused by candle, in barn belonging to Charles Cushman, near Courthouse, 3:30. Consumed Samuel B. Young's dwelling, then burned Courthouse and gaol to ashes, also Cushman's public house adjoining burned, long article.

Died Westminster, 17 inst., Hon. Lot Hall, Esq., 52, formerly one of Judges of Supreme Court.

Died New London, Benjamin Woodbury, Esq., 58, lancet went too deep in arm when he was being bled, mortification ensued, lived eight days.

Died Londonderry, suddenly, Widow Margaret Evans, 88.

Died this town, Tues. morn last, a child of Nathaniel Cornell.

Died Tolland, CT, 24 ult., Erastus Edgerton, son of Daniel, 22, long.

Sat., 3 June 1809:

Elizabethtown, U.C., murder of Isaac D. Underhill of that place, killed by Capt. Bennett's crew of Americans. Underhill thought to be a deserter, long.

10 June 1809:

Tilley Ballard of Tinmouth lost a woman's dark brown great coat between Tinmouth and Gould's Tavern in Rutland. Return it to him or Cephas Smith in Rutland.

17 June 1809:

Rutland, Federal Republican celebration at Gould's Tavern; address by Samuel Walker, Esq. and list of toasts.

West Springfield, MA, Dr. Benjamin Colman wrote Medical Place-Book. Proposals for printing it by Thomas Dickman.

Fabius, Onondaga Co., NY, Jonathan Jones has patent for improvement in manufacture of potash. Isaac Jaquith of Hartland has for sale a sawmill on East Creek in Parkerstown [Mendon] on Rutland-Stockbridge Turnpike; also excellent place for a grist mill. Inquire of John Page of Parkerstown.

24 June 1809:

Pawlet, Oliver L. Harmon asks people to pay what is due him.

Pittsford, Caleb Hendee, Jr., Gen. of 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade and 2<sup>nd</sup> Division of VT, announces Maj. Charles K. Williams of 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt., 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade, 2<sup>nd</sup> Div., VT Militia, appointed Brigade Major and Inspector. Vice Major Gideon Horton, Esq. resigned.

Capt. William P. Bennett of U.S. Army, who ordered his sergeant to shoot Mr. Underhill, under arrest.

Married this town, 20 inst. by Rev. Ball, Cheever Felch, one of publishers of *Farmer's Museum* of Walpole, NH, Miss Mary Hale of this town.

Died NY, 6 inst., Thomas Paine, author of *Crisis*, *Rights of Man*, *Age of Reason*, etc., c. 73. Wanted to be buried in Quaker Burying Ground, but was buried New Rochelle, perhaps on own farm.

Died Washington, Hon. Francis Malbone, senator from RI, apoplexy on 4 inst.

Died Philadelphia, Dr. James Woodhouse, late professor of Chemistry at University of PA.

Castleton, Silas Higley, Clerk, invites Federal Republicans to meet there for 4 July entertainment at houses of M'Intosh, Hart and Parker.

3 July 1809: [marked over 1 July 1809]

Castleton, A.P. responds to a letter criticizing the political motivations of 4 July celebration.

Rutland, Hall & Green at store formerly occupied by Capt. J. Smith, have Sutton scythes, etc.

Highgate, Giles Harrington offers \$20 reward for his horse stolen from Sheldon Clinton's in St. Albans.

Sat., 8 July 1809:

Died Clarendon, 4 inst., Sophia Maria Crary, dau. of Col. Nathaniel, 3 yr. 11 mos. of canker rash, had been confined with disorder nearly three weeks and was thought to have been recovering until shortly before her death.

15 July 1809:

4 July celebration at Castleton. Maj. Cheney's Squadron of Cavalry of three companies paraded. Greatest procession ever seen at Castleton met at Maj. M'Intosh's and proceeded down the street to the Academy and across the green to tables prepared by Messrs. M'Intosh, Hart and Parker. Toasts given and volunteer toasts by J. Deming, Esq., Mr. Bemiss, Capt. Ransom, Mrs. Platt, Capt. Adams.

Philetus Bliss of Lake George ad for stray colt dated at Castleton; can contact Joel Culver of Poultney or Lyman Clark of Castleton.

Died Saratoga Springs, 2 inst., Alexander Thomas, Esq., of Walpole, NH, one of publishers of *Farmer's Museum*.

Died King George Co., VA, John Seinker, Esq., murdered on road by a negro; supposed to be one of his runaway slaves.

Died Chester, 10 inist., Mrs. Mary Learned, wife of Joseph D., Esq., in 21<sup>st</sup> yr., survived by husband and two children, etc.

22 July 1809:

Hubbardton, Stephen Dana refutes that his patent for wheel carriages was unfairly obtained.

Rutland, First Medical Society of Vermont meets. John Cleveland, Sec. Admitted to practice in Society: Frederic Ford, Jr., Eli Smith, Reuben Lewis. Selah Gridley chosen to research how others are treating spotted fever. Ezekiel Porter to obtain botanical information.

Portsmouth paper, 6 July 1809, reports on Tues. P.M. at Fort Constitution 350 lbs. of gunpowder accidentally exploded; body parts found at a distance. Long article.

Killed: Ephraim Pickering, Esq., of Newington; young man, ----- Paul of Kittery, 14; John Mitchell and another lad, ----- Trefethern of Newcastle; 18 yr. old, name unknown, spectator; Sargeant Albert, Peletiah McDaniels; Theodore Witham. Badly wounded: Samuel Stevens; Reo Gamoth; Gideon Gould; Edmund Hurd; John Ricker; Robert Miller; several others names unknown.

Rutland, James Porter has purchased stock of medicines lately owned by Eleazer Wheelock.

29 July 1809:

Pawlet, Daniel Hulett, Jr. says his wife, Hannah, has behaved badly and run him into debt.

Probate, Matthew Barber, Benson, at house of Josiah Woodward.

Died this town, Thurs. last, a child of Edward Dyer, ae 2 yrs.

Letter about Federalists vs. Republicans problems at 4 July celebration at Castleton. Mentions on 4 July 1803, Capt. Arunah Woodward had procured a flag staff from Capt. Fisher, prepared by Mr. Granger and painted by E. Langdon. Since erected on green near Meeting House. In July 1808 democrats erected it near Academy and after on green; last Oct. blew down and broke. J. Deming repaired it. A man who is now a democrat nearly two yrs. ago purchased bell for Meeting House for \$230. Very long article.

5 Aug. 1809:

Drowned Southwick, MA, 13 ult., four young ladies, three of them 15-16, one 11 yrs.: Julia, dau. of John Stratton, Jr.; Mary, only dau. of Lt. Roswell Langdon; Charlotte and Orpha, daus. of Clark Cannon, all of Southwick. Picking pond lilies from a boat, overturned, all buried side by side in separate coffins in same grave next day.

Died Marshfield, Sat. 22 ult., George Little, Esq., 55, former commander of US Frigate Boston, etc.

Died Medford, Capt. William Wait of Malden, killed by lightning.

12 Aug. 1809.

4 of July celebration at Middletown. Maj. Elias Post officer of the day, Capt. Jared Porter's Co. of Light Infantry detachment from Capt. Fitch's Co. of Artillery under command of Sgt. Miner Branch.

Middletown's Music Co. commanded by Silas Lovel, etc. Addresses by Rev. Bigelow, David Palmer, Hiram S. Johnson of Middletown, Obadiah Noble of Tinmouth and Rev. Osburn.

Poultney, Lemuel B. Platt asks people to pay up.

Rutland, Eleazer Wheelock asks those who owe him for drugs and medicines to settle with Dr. James Porter.

Rutland, Jesse Gove is handling accounts of John Prentiss.

19 Aug. 1809:

Poultney, Billy Todd, by improvement can now card merino sheep wool.  
Adams, MA, William Hatheway and David Shattuck post reward for stolen horse taken by Jocktin Green Haven, c. 20 years.  
Middletown, James Ives has new distillery erected for distilling gin, also store goods, iron and steel.  
Weathersfield, James Converse offers reward for missing horse.

26 Aug. 1809:

Drowned Constable, NY, Thurs., 3<sup>rd</sup>, William Wares, Richard Buswell and two others returning from work in a canoe. Storm came up, all drowned. Sermon delivered by Rev. Elder Rowley of Grenville. Wares survived by a wife and four children; Buswell survived by wife and one child in Deerfield, NH.  
A dove appeared at Pawlet Baptist Meeting House Aug. last. Story embellished and circulated was published in MA, *Baptist Missionary Magazine*, No. 16, said letter was written by Rev. Beal, it lit on his head, etc.; was actually a tame dove of Elijah Brown of Pawlet who lives c. 100 rods from Meeting House. Mentions Mr. [Rev.] Beal. Dove accompanied Mr. Goodspeed to church, etc. Letter written by Nath'l Harmon, Pawlet.  
Rutland, W. D. Smith (son of Gov. Israel), his name used in the paper without his consent on an extra 21 Aug. used to sanction a charge made upon *Rutland Herald* for publishing letter to Isaac Tichenor, Esq. Supposedly he visiting Gov. Israel Smith when ill, insulted him, etc., denied.  
Vergennes, Francis Bradbury, a petition to Legislature for road on bank of Otter Creek from mouth to falls in Vergennes for towing vessels and boats on creek with teams.  
Castleton, Truman Haskin, carder.  
Rutland, Cephas Smith, Jr., petition to Legislature for road from Rutland to Middlebury leaving the road near Elijah Brown's tanworks, by Pittsford Furnace, through Sugar Hollow, by Lake Dunmore, come into the present road by Gamaliel Kelsey's in Salisbury.  
Rutland, Thomas Miller petitions Legislature to be released from imprisonment and civil process to be withheld for six years.  
Rutland, Jonathan Wells, auctions off real estate in West Parish and store goods at Henry Gould's; 1) 19 acres and three small houses opposite tavern lately occupied by Ephraim Blanchard; 2) other piece nearby, 106 acres on north and south side of road leading from tavern to Castleton and adjoining west on William Denison's land.

2 Sept. 1809:

Middletown, James Ives' ad for new distillery for gin.  
Died Pawlet, 28 ult., after severe illness, Capt. Simeon Edgerton, 77 y. 6 m.  
Rutland, Samuel Stephens wants a journeyman cooper.  
Rutland, Abijah Lothrop sells 247 acre farm formerly occupied by Capt. Osgood and now Capt. Joseph Nichols, four miles north of Courthouse.  
Rutland, Asa Graves, tanning and currying and shoemaking,  $\frac{1}{4}$  miles north of Courthouse.

9 Sept. 1809:

Orwell, Mason Ormsbee says Apollos Austin has reported a scandalous falsehood about him.  
Troy, 29 Aug., 2 men [no names] killed when erecting a large store for Messrs. C & J.D. Selden under direction of Messrs. Kimberly; fell suddenly to ground on Fri. last.  
Married [no place given] 29 ult., William Hamilton of Timmouth to Miss Lydia Trask of this town.  
Died early Sun. 7<sup>th</sup> May at Episcopal House at Fulham, Rt. Rev. Beiley Porteus, Lord Bishop of London, etc.  
Died England, Capt. John Sutherland executed on 12 June for killing his cabin boy.  
Died Philadelphia, 17 inst., Benjamin Chamberlain, formerly of Lynn, MA, 44.  
Died Dover, son of Capt. Samuel Wentworth, ae 5, thrown from chaise, lived 15 mins.  
Died Haverhill, Peter Niles of Bath, shot himself, disappointed in love.  
Died Charlestown, Maj. Benj. Frothingham, 67, officer of Rev.

Died Newark, NJ, Thurs. last, Edward Badgley, hanged himself. At Elizabethtown his mother died when informed of her son's death.

Died Middlebury, 21 ult., Mary Elizabeth, dau. of Rev. Holland Weeks of Pittsford, ae 1 yr.

16 Sept. 1809:

Adams, MA, William Hatheway and David Shattuck say Jocktin Green Haven, c. 20, stole horse from William Hatheway.

Rutland, Samuel Stevens ad for journeyman cooper.

Died England, Daniel Lambert, in 40<sup>th</sup> yr., weighed 730 lbs. being 151 lbs. heavier than Mr. Bright of Essex; measurements given of body and coffin, etc.

Died Reading, NY, child of Elisha Ward, 9 mos., had its head chopped off by Isaac Baldwin of Litchfield, CT, deranged, who had been put under care of Elisha Ward.

Died Philadelphia, Mrs. Cynthia Kenly, ae 38[?], wife of Dr. Charles Kenly, and a native of VT.

Died Bennington, 5 inst., Erastus Merrill, 20.

Rutland, John M'Connell has just burnt a kiln of lime of superior quality.

Castleton, Arunah W. Hyde has 150 acre farm for sale in Poultney.

Rutland, Eben. and Elvin Andrews dissolve partnership; Elvin continues.

Arlington, Petition to Legislature by Adin Hinds, A. Younglove, Abel Aylsworth, Turnpike at western end of Stratton Turnpike to Battenkill River to New York line.

23 Sept. 1809:

Died suddenly at Pawlet, eve of 15 inst., Aaron Sanford, ae 64. Day before was catching pigeons, ate supper, 7:30 went outside, half hr. later looked for him. Found him in the necessary on the seat in a natural position except left foot extended, etc.

Middletown, ad for fruit trees at their grove, P. & B. Frisby.

East Clarendon, Jonathan Parker and Co. have purchased and repaired works for dressing cloth previously occupied by James Paige, prices for dying cloth, Scarlet, British Mud, London Brown, London Smoke, Snuff Brown, Navy Blue, Forest Drab and Black.

30 Sept. 1809:

Abijah Sterns, who thinks he is Chief Justice of Supreme Court of VT has been arrested for two murders at New Town in Halfmoon [NY]; several letters on subject.

Castleton, Joseph Blackman, c. 16 yrs., apprentice, ran away from John Whitlock.

Pawlet, John Edgerton advertises for sale a new dwelling and a distillery in center of town near Daniel Mason's new Grist Mill and Oil Mill.

Married Vergennes by Rev. John Hough, Amasa Payne of Panton, Miss Sally Green of former place.

Died William Pearl, Jr., was of Capt. Laurence's Co. of cavalry at regimental muster at Lyndon on Mon. last, was riding in a crowd after being dismissed when he accidentally was wounded in right eye from a bayonet of a foot soldier, fell from his horse, lived until 4 A.M., buried at Wheelock on Wed., etc.

7 Oct. 1809:

Divorce petition, Elias Salisbury of Tinmouth vs. Sarah Salisbury, now out of state. Married 15 Jan. 1799; she deserted him more than three years ago, adultery.

Died Glastenbury, CT, Jere R. Williams, ae 22, on way to visit fiance was killed by lightning.

Died Newburyport, Richard Tenney, hastened to spot of unnecessary fire alarm, expired in street.

Died Concord, NH, James Underhill, ae 35, of Craftsboro[sic], VT, found dead in road, loaded wagon he was driving passed over his neck.

Castleton, Duncan Cook commenced tailoring in large building opposite Gen. Eli Cogswell's in east end of village.

Castleton, ad for Meachum and Adams store.

Castleton, Langdon and Hart sell best Liverpool salt; they have oil mill.

Notice, Evangelical Society meeting at Pawlet. John Griswold, Secretary.

14 Oct. 1809:

Died Middletown, 27 Aug. Mrs. Anna Cluff, consort of Maj. Phinehas Cluff, ae 62; on 24 Sept. Maj. Phinehas Cluff, ae 61.

Rutland, James D. Butler Store, goods at Brick Store few rods north of Courthouse, also nails from Davey's; manufactory in Fair Haven.

Wed., 18 Oct. 1809:

Died this village, Sun. morn last, a child of Abel Cheney.

Pittsford, Truman Smith found horse.

Rutland, Isaac Gage wants two journeymen shoemakers.

25 Oct. 1809:

Married Timmouth, 27 Sept., Benjamin Hall, Miss Polly Lynn of Rupert.

Died Middletown, 22 inst., Calvin Colegrove, c. 34.

Died this village, Fri. eve last, Benjamin Moors, 36, of Albany.

Died Castleton, Mon. eve last, Capt. Abel Moulton, ae 33[?]. Funeral today; Brethren of Centre Lodge [Masonic Lodge] notified to be at Reuben Moulton's dwelling in Castleton suitably clothed to perform funeral services of Abel Moulton on 25 Oct. Companions of Green Mountain Chapter of which he was a member invited. Nichols Goddard, Master of Centre Lodge.

Masonic, Warren Lodge No. 23, expelled David Thomson. Woodstock, Job Lyman, Secretary.

Rutland, Lothrop [Abijah], Wheelock [Eleazer] and Whitmore dissolve partnership. Wheelock sells his share to Elisha Adams.

Rutland, Ethiel Cushman sells farm one mile north of Courthouse; 116 acres, new 30x40 framed house, 300-400 apple trees.

1 Nov. 1809:

Married Poultney, 23 inst., by Rev. Leonard, Stephen Morse, Miss Eunice Frisbie.

Married this town, Sun. eve last by Rev. Ball, Abel Page, Miss Zilpha Barnes.

Died this town, Mon. last, son of Mr. Jackson, ae 8.

Ad for Dorset Academy, incorporated Oct. 1807. William Jackson, President of Board, Stephen Martindale, Secretary.

Benson, Jeffery Nearing and Almerin Belding dissolve partnership.

Poultney, Richard How, 1,652 acres in Ohio on Black Lake and Allum Creek will be exchanged for land in Rutland County.

8 Nov. 1809:

Pawlet, Joel Harmon, Jr., author of *Columbian Sacred Minstrel* [hymnal].

Died England, ae 88, Mrs. Beaton in Norwich, commonly called Freemason because she hid herself in Lodge Room where she learned the secret.

Died Newbern, NC, Moses Davis, seaman, on board brig Intercourse, killed by Archibald Davidson.

Died Reading, PA, Susannah Cox, executed for murder of infant child.

Died Reading, PA, Thurs. last, Elizabeth Temple, wife of late Sir John and dau. of late Gov. Bowdoin.

Died Ft. Columbus, NY, Lt. James Chambers of US Army.

Died Catherines Town, NY, Z. Cox, accidentally shot by a friend while hunting.

Died Sharon, NY, ----- Austin gored by a bull, long.

Died Ellsworth, ME, infant son of John Moore burned to death in cradle near fireplace.

Died this town, Fri. last, son of Mr. Jackson, 6 yrs.

15 Nov. 1809

Pawlet, Moses Olds' wife, Polly, left.

Poultney, Richard How ad for 1,652 acres in OH on Black Lake and Allum[?] Creek.

Strafford, Orange Co., VT, Stephen Couch, Seth H. Whiting, Joseph R. Newell, Simon Eastman ad for Copperas at their factory.

Died Berlin (Prussia), July last, Dr. ----- Gortz, executed, seduced a young girl in his care and killed her with medication.

Died Island of St. Christopher, Aug. 20, Josiah[?Joseph] Peck, Jr. 23.

Died Stratford, CT, 17 Sept., Miss Sally Peck, 19, both children of Joseph[?Josiah] Peck of Stratford.

After church she was telling friends of her brother's death (she had just heard of his death in church), she died in street. News of both deaths reached parents at same time.

22 Nov. 1809:

Married Hartford, NY, 9 inst. by Rev. Hall of Granville, Obadiah Noble, Jr., Esq., attorney, of Tinmouth [VT], Miss Nancy Mason of Hartford.

Died West Rutland, 5 inst., Ebenezer Blanchard, 26.

Died West Rutland, 9<sup>th</sup>, Mrs. Cybel Pratt, 36.

Died West Rutland, 7<sup>th</sup>, Mrs. Ja's Freeman, ae 25.

Died West Rutland, 15<sup>th</sup>, Walter Blanchard, 32.

Leicester, Isaac Morse's horse lost.

29 Nov. 1809:

Probate, Capt. Abel Moulton, Castleton.

Married Newark, NJ, William Rufus Gray, merchant of Boston, Miss Mary Clay, dau. of Rev. Joseph of Savannah, later pastor of First Baptist Church in Boston, poem.

Died Wilmington, 4 Nov., Samuel White, Esq., for several yrs. represented Delaware in US Senate.

Died Gov. Lewis Clark of Upper Louisiana at Tennessee, of famed Lewis and Clark expedition; committed suicide.

Bonaparte's death.

Rutland, William Rand's shoat has strayed.

6 Dec. 1809:

Fire, 21 ult., grist mill, sawmill, fulling mill, carding machine on Lamoil[sic] River in Milton destroyed by fire with bridge over river; Col. Burrell is principal sufferer.

Died Shelburne, 5 ult., Rev. Bethuel Chittenden, ae 70, day of death rode half mile to place of worship to preach, but expired. Brother of late governor.

Walpole [NH], Bookstore, Cheever Felch.

Rutland, John M'Farland found a cow.

Middletown, Joel Miner wants journeyman saddler.

13 Dec. 1809:

Married Pittsford, 7 inst., by Rev. Holland Weeks, Rev. John Denison of Jericho, Miss Lucretia Kellogg, dau. of Gen. Amos of former place.

Died Poultney, 12 Nov., child of Uriah Wright; on 29<sup>th</sup> his wife, ae 27, survived by husband and four small children.

20 Dec. 1809:

Notice of Fairhaven Turnpike meeting at house of Chauncey Smith, Esq. in Benson. John D. Smith, Clerk.

Married Cavendish, Tues., 12 inst., Capt. Christopher Webber of this town, Mrs. Betsey Lakin of Cavendish.

Married Middletown, Thurs., 7 inst., Asher Seward, Miss Eunice Phillemore[Filmore]

Died this town, Wed. last, Eunice, consort of Nathan Pratt, Jr., 25.

27 Dec. 1809:

Rutland, Ethiel Cushman found heifer.

Clarendon, Henry Hodges and Caleb Hall form partnership for store business.

3 Jan. 1810:

*Middlebury Mercury* reports Tues. eve last week, dwelling of Joseph Walbridge of New Haven, late of CT, in absence of he and wife was consumed by fire. Their three children, Etna in 15<sup>th</sup> yr., Sally in 13<sup>th</sup> yr. and Amos, 7 yrs., died. Mother was spending evening at a neighbors. Funeral Wed. Died this village, Wed. eve last, Mrs. Chloe Prentiss, wife of Samuel, ae 34.

10 Jan. 1810:

Died Hungary, 19 Oct., Marie Louise, archduchess of Austria and Queen of Hungary and Bohemia, b. 1787, married to present emperor 6 Jan. 1808. Also Leopoldine Caroline Josephe, dau. of Emperor of Austria, b. 1797.

Died Nova Scotia, William Balmaine of Grand Lake, 72, fell out of window.

Died Waterford, CT, child of Isaac Chapell, ae 3 yrs., burned to death by cotton (not woolen) clothing taking fire.

17 Jan. 1810:

Mt. Holly, Elijah Davenport, Jr.'s wife, Esther, left him.

24 Jan. 1810:

Died Milton, 12 inst., Deac. Abishai Mosley, 75<sup>th</sup> yr.

Rutland, farm for sale one mile northeast of Courthouse on Turnpike Road from Rutland to Montpelier; 150 acres, house, barn, etc. Inquire of Henry Downs or Cephas Smith, Jr.

Rutland, William Page, Jr. ad for a wet nurse to take a child two months old. [This must have been for his son, William Todd Page, born 17 Nov. 1809. Obviously his wife Mary was ill as she died 10 Apr., 1810, ae 25.]

31 Jan. 1810:

William Page, Jr. wants to sell 15 acres of land adjoining east line of Rutland, lying south of road leading from Dr. Ezekiel Porter's to Parkerstown.

Wed., 7 Feb. 1810:

Portsmouth, NH, Ebenezer Clifford invented an improved diving bell. Has been weighing ordnance in Penobscot River from wrecks that were lost during Rev. against Bagaduce on that river.

Died this town, Sat. morn last, Stephen Seward, 64.

Pittsford, Solomon Thayer lost seven yards of red flannel between Gould's Tavern in Rutland and Penfield's Tavern in Pittsford.

14 Feb. 1810:

Married Pittsford, 6 inst., by Amos Kellogg, Esq., Samuel Riggs, Miss Mary Wickwire, poem.

Supreme Court closed session in Rutland. Found guilty and sentenced: Joshua June, theft, three yrs.; Joseph Bevens and Elijah Remington, passed counterfeit bank bills, ten yrs.

21 Feb. 1810:

Spotted fever at St. Albans and vicinity. Those who are stricken live but a short time. Died within last few days: Daniel Ryan, Esq., 54, of St. Albans; Rev. John Richards of Enosburgh; Hon. Amos Fasset of Enosburgh, one of Judges of Franklin Co. Court, 57; Mrs. Martha Burton of St. Albans, 43; Mr. ----- Graham of Swanton; Thomas Horner of Coits Gore, 48; George Clayson of St. Armand, 25; Elijah Root of Georgia, 35; Mr. ----- Neal of Fairfax.

Died this village on Wed., 14<sup>th</sup> inst., Col. William Page, formerly of Charlestown, NH, 61.

No place given, Alvin White's wife, Sarah, has left him.

Rutland, Daniel Greeno found stray horse.

Poultney, Riley Richmond has farm for sale, 116 acres on road from Poultney to Castleton.

Rutland, Daniel Greeno moves store to lower floor of William Fay's printing office.

28 Feb. 1810:

Brattleboro, Oliver Chapin, Nathaniel Barber and Levi Stebbins say two men and families came to Brattleboro under pretense of setting up shoemaking business, procured credit, borrowed wagon to go to Westminster, stole other things; not heard from since. Assumed names were given as William Green and Jacob Rice.

Windsor, VT, strange occurrence in the neighborhood of Bower; a man who resided at a remote part of a common near that place, lived like a hermit and buried himself alive. Dug his grave months ago, the man found dead wrapped in a blanket face down in the open grave.

7 March 1810:

Whiting, Rutland Co., VT, Mon. last, Elijah Kirkum, Esq. of Whiting with wife and child journeying northward in sleigh on the ice, passed over a large crack not far from Col. Allen's on South Hero. Mrs. Kirkum and child fell into water only four ft. deep, Mr. Kirkum tried to help and fell in, ice steep and could not get out. Two men from Col. Allen's heard their cries and went to them with a pole which was two feet too short to reach them. Kirkums said for men to get a rope—all dead when the men returned. Why did they not think to tie their clothes or handkerchiefs to add to length of pole. Mr. Kirkum was a member of the Legislature.

Canton, CT, 2 Feb., Jesse Morey and wife left their house in care of several small children, one accidentally set fire to some tow. The house burned and one child, ae 6, died.

Boxford, John Robinson, Esq., found dead in the road; supposedly fell from horse in a fit.

Died King & Queen Co., VA, Mrs. Agnes K. Roane, wife of John, Jr., who murdered her, married only two months.

Died Carlisle, PA, Robert Grayson, formerly high Sheriff of Cumberland Co., killed by US soldiers who had a dispute with man staying at Grayson's.

14 March 1810:

Probate, Gideon Clifford, Pawlet, at Inn of Miner Branch.

Died this village, Tues., 13 inst., Mrs. Anna Prentiss, consort of Capt. John, 60.

Died Pittsford, 27 ult., Col. Benjamin Cooley, old and respectable inhabitant.

Died Pittsford, 4 inst., of spotted fever, Capt. John Sprague of Bedford, MA, 53[?]

Died Middlebury, 8 ult., Mrs. Mary Brooks, 82, relict of Benjamin, formerly of Northfield, MA.

21 March 1810:

Masonic, Morning Sun Lodge No. 18 at Bridport expelled Smith Gully of Addison and Josiah Colburn of Crown Point. Richard Carrique, Secretary P.T.

Married Danby, 11 inst., Warren Odel, Jr. of Orwell, Mrs. Suzanna Brown of Danby.

Died this village, Mon. last, child of Thomas Hall.

Died Rockingham, Quartus Morgan, Esq., P.M., formerly of West Springfield.

Long memorial and poem to Anna Prentiss, late of Rutland.

Fair Haven, Jacob Davey ad, has put his iron works, rolling and slitting mill and nail factory in repair.

28 March 1810:

Died Tinmouth, 22 inst., Joseph Gould.

Probate, Aaron Sanford, Pawlet, at dwelling of John Talmage.

Poultney, Stephen W. Dana ad, he will let a large house, store, barn and potash opposite the Baptist Meeting House, also a farm one mile north of Meeting House in Poultney with 94 acres. For terms contact Dana at Hubbardton.

4 April 1810:

Died Georgia, 27 ult., Ephraim Woods, ae 36, formerly of New Braintree, MA (printers at Worcester requested to publish above).

Died Shrewsbury, 30 ult., Mrs. Hannah Marsh, wife of William, Esq., 44.

Died Middletown, 24 ult., Rosealba, dau. of John Caswell, ae 4 yrs. He was preparing sap spouts by side of a 15 ft. long 18 inch in diameter beach[sic] log near his door. Eldest child, ae 4, stood by lower side of

log; younger child crept upon it, log began to roll. He seized youngest and urged eldest to make her escape. After running 15-20 ft. log overtook Rosealba, rolled over her and crushed her, died instantly. Died this village, 29 ult., Mrs. Charity Chipman, consort of Gustavus D. Chipman, ae 22. Poem. Brandon, John R. Whitney, c. 16, apprentice, ran away from Charles Sullings. Benson, Asahel Parsons wants two journeymen joiners.

11 April 1810:

Died Swanton, 30 ult. Maj. George W. Foster, formerly of Clarendon, ae 38. Died this village, Sat. last, Chauncey Fenn of Middletown, 37. Died this village, Tues. morn, Mrs. Mary Page, consort of William, Esq., ae 25, etc.

18 April 1810:

Married this town, Sun. eve last, by Rev. Ball, Rufus Long, Miss Sally M'Kenzie. Died Castleton, 13 inst., Mrs. Lucy Loomis Cheney, consort of Hiram Cheney and dau. of Capt. Joseph Barney of this town, 23. Brandon, Jacob Simonds has store and goods and granary for sale, formerly owned by G. Horton, Esq. Rutland, E. W. Bisbee sells farm in Philadelphia five miles from Pittsford Furnace, 175 acres, orchard, sugar works. Also 110 acres in Philadelphia on new road from Rutland to Berkshire. Also a village lot nearly opposite gaol [Rutland], 1 1/8 acre and house.

25 April 1810:

Fire, Wed., 28 ult., James Beal's house burned in Lyme, NH. 29 ult., large house of Oziias Humphrey, Esq. of Burke burned. Caught fire from a candle in bed chamber. He's Town Treasurer and his papers saved. Died Poultney, 8 inst., Miss Sally Strong, dau. of Deac. Oliver, in 35<sup>th</sup> yr., after long and painful illness. Burlington, Rev. Samuel Clark ordained over First Congregational Society of Christians. Also Rev. Daniel Haskell, A.M., ordained over Calvinistic Congregational Society. Middletown, Joel Miner attests to integrity of post rider, Asa Allen. Rutland, Robert Gilmore lost scotch plaid cloak between Sherburne and Rutland. Rutland, Moses Strong, attorney, takes office lately occupied by Darius Chipman three doors south of Courthouse. Chipman moves to second story of building next south of Gould Tavern. Elizabethtown, Essex Co., NY, Anson Jones, attorney, nearly opposite Courthouse.

2 May 1810:

Married this town, Sun. eve last, by Rev. Ball, Reuben Washburn, Miss Lucy Graves. Married New Orleans, Gen. James Wilkinson, Mademoiselle Trudeau, poem. Died Kingsbridge, Ireland, 27 Feb. last, four children at mill watched a miller kill a pig. They played butcher, and killed youngest who acted as pig. Shocked at what they had done the three hid under the wheel in mill; it started up and crushed them to death. Died Boston, Miss Eliza Allen, 16, dau. of late Capt. Solomon Allen of Gloucester. Clothes caught fire and she burned to death. Died Middlebury, 17 ult., Samuel Miller, Esq., 46.

9 May 1810:

Letter dated 15 March 1810, Washington, from Col. Matthew Lyon to Elias Curtis, Esq. of Tunbridge, VT. Married Plymouth, Asa Briggs, Jr., Miss Lucy Clark. Died Paris, Santerre, the brewer, who conducted Louis XVI to guillotine, etc. Robbery, Joseph True, traveling in a cutter in Wheelock from Burlington, and decided to reach Mile's Tavern that night so he could arrive home at Derby next night. As he was passing down hill 1/4 of mile north of Bradley's Tavern, pistol shot blew his hat off. True drew a gun but was disarmed and was injured. After he regained his senses he went to Mr. Hawkins' door; he was besmeared with blood. He was robbed of \$1,400. [from *North Star*]

16 May 1810:

Rutland, John Ruggles moves his tailor shop to his house.

23 May 1810:

Married Keene, NH, Whelock Houghton of Pittsford, VT, Miss Betsey Leonard of former place.

30 May 1810:

Announcement of last issue. Thomas M. Pomroy has contracted with editor of *The Washingtonian* [Windsor] to execute mechanical business of that establishment.

Rutland, Gustavus D. Chipman asks borrower to return two volumes of *Blair's Lectures on Rhetoric*.

Rutland, new store, George T. Hodges and Henry Gould, list of goods, one door south of Gould's Tavern.

Rutland, Abel Page, saddler, list of goods.

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